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Ambassador Gerard's New Book: "Face to Face With Kaiserism"

"The Personal Side of the German Emperor as I Have Known Him"

For Years He Has Fed His Ambition by Imagining Himself Entering Fallen Cities With the Keys to Their Citadels and Treasure Repositories Borne Humbly Before Him.

"Others Have Failed, but I Dreamed a Dream of German World Empire and My Mailed Fist Will Succeed"---He Loves the Pomp and Circumstance of War.

This is the first installment of Mr. Gerard's new book, which will be printed in full in the Post-Dispatch. An installment will appear daily, including Sundays, until the entire volume is presented. Mr. Gerard did not use half of his observations and experiences while at the German Court in "My Four Years in Germany" (which the Post-Dispatch printed in serial form also), and his new book will be quite as interesting as was his first.

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CHAPTER I.

TO the American mind the Kaiser is the personification of Germany. He is the arch-enemy upon whom the world places the responsibility for this most terrible of all wars. I have sat face to face with him in the palace at Berlin where, as the personal representative and envoy of the President of the United States, I had the honor of expressing the viewpoint of a great nation. I have seen him in the field as the commanding General of mighty forces, but I also have seen him in the neutral countries through which I passed on my return home and in my own beloved land—in the evidence of intrigue and plotting and which is today "the Thing," as President Wilson calls it, which has brought the American people face to face with Kaiserism in the greatest conflict of all history.

What manner of man is he? What is his character? How much was he responsible for what has happened? How much his General Staff?

What of the Crown Prince and what of the neutral peoples and their rulers whom Germany has intimidated and would fain subjugate if it suited her purpose? These are the questions I shall attempt to answer out of my experiences in Germany and my contacts with the rulers of other countries in my journeys to and from Berlin and Washington.

To illustrate the craft of the Kaiser, I believe I can perform no better service to Americans than to reveal an incident which has not hitherto been published. It occurred at the New Year's reception of 1914, when the Ambassadors of all the foreign countries represented at the German court were ranged in a large room at the palace. They stood about six feet apart in the order of their residence in Berlin. The Kaiser and his aids entered the room, and the Emperor spoke a few minutes to each envoy. He tarried longest with the Turkish Ambassador and myself, thereby arousing the curiosity of the other diplomats, who suspected that the Kaiser did more than merely exchange the greetings of the season. He did.

Kaiser Personally Strove to Sow Discord Between U. S. and Japan

What the German Emperor said to me interests every American because it shows his subtlety of purpose. The Kaiser talked at length to me about what he called Japan's designs on the United States. He warned me that Mexico was full of Japanese spies and an army of Japanese Colonels. He also spoke about France, saying that he had made every effort to make up with France; that he had extended his hand to that country, but that the French had refused to meet his overtures; that he was through and would not try again to heal the breach between France and Germany!

All this was in 1914, six months before the outbreak of the European war. Little did I know then what the purpose was back of that conversation, but it is clear now that the Emperor wished to have the Government of the United States persuaded through me that he was really trying to keep Europe at peace and that the responsibility for what was going to happen would be on France. The German is so skilful at intrigue that he seeks even in advance of an expected offensive to lay the foundation for self-justification.

But the reference to Japan and alleged hostility against us on the part of fanciful hordes of Japanese in Mexico made me wonder at the time. There were many evidence subsequent to that New Year's day reception of an attempt to alienate us from Japan; as a climax to it all as a clarification of what the Emperor had in mind came the famous Zimmermann note—the instructions to the German Minister in Mexico to align both Japan and Mexico against us when we entered the war against Germany!

Plotting and intriguing for power and mastery! Such is the business of absolute rulers.

I believe that had the old Austrian Kaiser lived a little while longer, the prolongation of his life would have been most disastrous both for Austria and Hungary. I believe after the death of Franz Ferdinand at Sarajevo and after a year of war the German Emperor and autocracy were brooding over a plan according to which, on the death of Francis Joseph, the successor should be allowed to rule only as King or Grand Duke of Austria, the title of Emperor of Austria to disappear and German Princes to be placed upon the thrones of Hungary and of a new kingdom of Bohemia. These and the King or Grand Duke of Austria were to be subject monarchs under the German Kaiser, who was thus to revive an empire, if not greater, at least more powerful, than the empires of Charlemagne and of Charles the Fifth. Many public utterances of the German Kaiser show that trend of mind.

Predicted He Would Succeed Where Alexander, Caesar and Napoleon Failed

Emperor William deliberately wrote and published, for instance, such a statement as this: "From childhood I have been influenced by five men: Alexander the Great, Julius Caesar, Theodoric II, Frederick the Great and Napoleon. Each of these men dreamed a dream of world empire. They failed. I have dreamed a dream of German world empire and my mailed fist shall succeed."

Could any declaration of a life's ambition be more explicit? It seems impossible for human ambition to stand still. Either a man loses all stimulus of self and becomes as spiritless as a fagged animal or ambition drives him always on—he is never content with any success achieved. The millionaire, to whom the first million, when he was a boy, seemed the extreme limit of human wealth and desire, presses on insatiably with the first million in his pocket, more restless, more dissatisfied, than the hungry farmer's boy who first carries his ambitions to the great city.

When these zealous, scheming men gain the power of kingship they usually bring disaster to their country. Their subjects find no compensation in the personal ambitions which hurry a nation into the miseries of war. Better Charles II dallying with his ringleted mistresses than an Alexander the Great; better Henry the Fourth of France, the "ever-green gallant," than Frederick the Great bathing his people in blood. "Happy nations have no history."

William the Second, the present German Emperor, might well be called the Restless Emperor. He is never satisfied to remain more than a few days in any place or in any occupation. He commands his armies in person. He has won distinction as a writer and a public speaker. He is an excellent shot. He has composed music, written verses, superintended the production of a ballet, painted a picture; the beautiful Byzantine chapel in the Castle of Posen shows his genius for architecture; and, clothed in a clergyman's surplice, he has preached a sermon in Jerusalem. What ruler in all history has exhibited such extraordinary versatility?

Puts on His Nightshirt and Sleeps Two Hours Every Afternoon

In my conversations with the Emperor I have been struck by his knowledge of other countries, lands which he had never visited. He was familiar not only with their manners, customs, industries and public men, but with their commercial problems. Through his conversation one can see the keen eye of the Hanseatic trader looking with eager envy on the trade of a rival merchant. The Emperor incidentally, while instinctively commercial, has an inborn contempt, if not for the law, at least for lawyers. In October, 1915, for instance, he remarked to me: "This is a lawyer's war—Asquith and Lloyd George in England, Poincare and Briand in France."

In appearance and conversation Emperor William is very manly. His voice is strong, with a ring in it. He is a good rider. Following the German custom, he puts on his nightshirt every afternoon after lunch and sleeps for two hours—for the German is more devoted to the siesta than the Spaniard or Mexican. The hours of the Berlin Foreign Office, for example, were from 11 to 1 and 4 to 8. After a heavy lunch at 1 o'clock all officials took a nap for an hour or two. Also, the hours of the bank where I did business were from 10 to 1 and from 4 to 6. This meant that after 6 o'clock the clerks had to sit until perhaps 8 making up the books for the day.

In 1916 the Olympic games were to have taken place at Berlin, and in September, 1913, before sailing for Germany I attended a luncheon at the New York Athletic Club given by President Page, with the members of the German commission who had come to America to study athletics and to see what could be done in Germany so that the Germans could make a good showing at the games in their own city.

After my arrival in Germany one of the members of this commission told me that it was impossible, he believed, to organize the Germans as athletes until German meal and business hours had been changed. He said that with us in America young men leaving business at 4:30, 5 or 5:30 had time in which to exercise before their evening meal, but that in Germany the young men ate so much at the midday meal that they required their siesta after it and that they did not leave their offices until so late in the evening that exercise and practice were impossible.

Rarely Wears Civilian Dress, Does Not Look Imperial When He Does

On the Emperor's table his wine glasses, or rather cups, are of silver. Possibly this is because he has been forbidden by his physician to drink wine. The Germans maintain the old-fashioned custom of drinking healths at meals. Someone far down the table will lift his glass, look at you and smile. You are then expected to lift your glass and drink with him and then both bow and smile over the glasses. As the Emperor must reciprocate with everyone present, his champagne and wine are put in silver cups in order that those drinking wine with him do not see that he consumes no appreciable quantity of alcoholic liquor on the occasion of each health drinking. Some people in America may have often wished for a similar device.

The Emperor is out of uniform only on rare occasions. Occasionally when in a foreign country he has appeared in civilian dress. He appears to much better advantage in uniform than in civilian attire. Although uniformed while at sea as an Admiral, his favorite uniform is really that of the Hussars.

In conversation, the Emperor reminds one very much of Roosevelt, of a polite Roosevelt, talking with the same energy, the same violence of gesture and of voice so characteristic of our great ex-President. When the Emperor talks all his attention is given to you and all his mental energy is concentrated on the conversation. In this violence of manner and voice he seems not at all German. The average German is neither exuberant nor soft-spoken, but mild-mannered.

His favorite among his ancestors is William of Orange. Once he attended a fancy dress ball in costume and makeup copied from the well-known picture of that Prince. The Emperor is strongly built and is about 5 feet 9 inches tall. He sits well on his horse and walks, too, with head erect and shoulders thrown back—a picture of military precision.

A friend of mine who was present at Kiel with his yacht in 1910 tells me that when all the yachts and warships had been assembled along the long narrow waterway which constituted that harbor, with the crews lined up on deck or manning the yards, with bands crashing and banners floating, the Hohenzollern slowly steamed into the harbor and passed lazily and majestically through the waiting ships. Alone on the upper bridge there stood the monarch, attired in full military uniform, with white coat and tight breeches, high top boots, shining silver breastplate and silver helmet, surmounted by an eagle, the dress of the Prussian Guard Regiment, so dear to those who portray romantic and kingly roles upon the stage, a figure on whom all eyes were fixed, as



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This is one of the few photographs of the German Emperor in civilian attire. It is a snapshot and was made in the Island of Corfu, off the Grecian coast, when he was on a visit to Achilleion, his great estate there, that formerly belonged to the murdered Empress Elizabeth of Austria. The Emperor does not often appear in civilian clothing because he realizes that he cuts a disappointing figure in it. In uniform his appearance is imperial, but in mufti he is really quite ordinary, looking not at all the part of the Kaiser of the Germans.

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—FORMER AMBASSADOR GERARD.

splendid as that of Lohengrin, drawn by his fairy swan, coming to rescue the unjustly accused Princess. And, alas! the Germans like all this pomp and splendor. It appeals to something in the German heart and seems to create a feeling of affection and humility in the German breast.

When I talked at length one day with President Wilson on my visit to America in October, 1916, he remarked, half to himself, in surprise at my tale of war: "Why does all this horror come on the world? What causes it?" "Mr. President," I answered, "it is the King business."

I did not mean nominal Kings as harmless as those of Spain and England. I was thinking of the powerful monarchs. A German republic would never have embarked on this war; a German Congress would have thought twice before sending its own sons to death in a deliberate effort to enslave other peoples. In a free Germany teachers, ministers and professors would not have taught the necessity of war. What German merchant in a free Germany would have thought that all the trade of the East, all the riches of Bagdad and Cairo and Mosul could compensate him for the death of his first-born or restore the blind eyes to the youngest son who now crouches, cowering, ever the fire, awaiting death? For there was no trade necessity for this war. I know of no place in the world where German merchants were not free to trade. The disclosures of war have shown how German commerce had penetrated every land, to an extent unknown to the best informed. If the German merchants wanted this war in order to gain a German monopoly of the world's trade, then they are rightly suffering from the results of overweening covetousness.

No More Autocratic Ruler in the World Than the Emperor

Experts in insanity say that the Roman Emperors, as soon as they attained the rule of the world, were made mad by the possession of that stupendous power. The scepter of Emperor William is mighty. No more autocratic influence proceeds from any other monarch or ruler. But, you will say, how about our President in time of war? Great power can safely be given to a President. Our Presidents have all risen from the ranks. Usually they have gone through the school of hard knocks. And there are ways of keeping them abreast of the people.

It is told that hidden from public view, crouched down in the chariot in which the successful Roman Proconsul or General drove triumphantly through the crowded streets of Rome, was a slave celebrated for his impertinence, whose duty it was to make the honored one feel that, after all, he was nothing more than an ordinary mortal blessed with a certain amount of good luck. Probably as the chariot passed by the forum of applause from the populace: "Do not take that applause too seriously. That is the T. Quintus Cassius Association, whose chief received a hundred sesterces from your brother-in-law yesterday, on account, with a promise of a hundred more in case the association's cheers seemed loud and sincere."

So in America the press, serious and comic, takes the place of the humble Roman and throws enough cold water on the head of any temporarily successful American to reduce it to normal proportions. Besides, the President knows that some day he must return to the ranks, live again with his neighbors, seek out the threads of a lost law practice or eke out a livelihood on the Chautauqua circuit in the discomfort of tiny hotels, traveling in upper berths instead of private cars and eating on lunch stools in small stations instead of in the sumptuous surroundings of presidential luxury. These are sobering prospects.

Monarchs Look Upon Their Subjects as Their Own Personal Property

Kings, on the other hand, come to look on their subjects as toys. A postcard popular in Austria and Germany showed the old Emperor Francis Joseph, seated at a table with a little great-grand-nephew on his knee, teaching the child to move toy soldiers about on the boards; and it is unfortunately true that the same youngster—should the system of the Central Empires be perpetuated—will be able to move his subjects across the map of Europe just as he did the toy soldiers on his great-granduncle's table. He will be able to tear men from their work and their homes, to seize great scientists, great chemists, great inventors—men who may be on the eve of discoveries or remedies destined to rid the human race of the scourge of cancer or the white plague—and send them to death in the marshes of Macedonia or the fastnesses of the Carpathians, because some fellow King or Emperor has deceived or outwitted him.

In a monarchy all subjects seem the personal property of the monarch and all expressions of power become personal. This extends throughout all countries ruled by royalty.

When, for example, a member of the royal family dies, even in another country, it must be lamented by the court circle of other lands. Here is the official notice sent to all diplomats and members of the Imperial German Court on the occasion of the death of the Queen of Sweden:

"The court goes into mourning today for her majesty the Queen Mother of Sweden, for three weeks, up to and including the 19th of January, 1914.

"Ladies wear black silk dresses for the first 14 days, including Jan. 12, with black hair ornaments, black gloves, black fans and black jewelry; the last eight days with white hair ornaments, gray gloves, white fans and pearls.

"Gentlemen wear the whole time a black band on the sleeve. Civilians wear with the embroidered coat, during the first 14 days, including Jan. 12, on occasions of 'grand gala,' black buckles and swords with black sheaths. During the last eight days bright buckles; on occasions of 'half gala,' gold or silver embroidered trousers of the color of the uniform and in the one as in the other case, gold or silver embroidered hat with white plume; with the 'small' uniform, however, black trousers (or knee breeches, black silk stockings, shoe with black bows and the 'three-cornered hat with black plume). During the first 14 days gentlemen wear black woolen vests and black gloves, in the last eight days black silk vests and gray gloves.

"Berlin, Dec. 30, 1913.

"The Ober-Ceremonienmeister,
"GRAF A. EULENBURG.

"By command of his majesty the Emperor, mourning will be suspended for New Year's day and the 17th and 18th of January."

Royalties a Close Corporation With Word My Ever on Tongues

So it is apparent what a close corporation all the royal families make and the peoples are simply viewed as the personal property of the ruling Princes. In his telegram which the German Kaiser wrote to President Wilson on Aug. 10, observe how all is personal. The Kaiser says: "I telegraphed to his majesty the King, personally, but that if, etc., I would employ my troops elsewhere. * * * His majesty answered that he thought my offer. * * *" He speaks of the King of the Belgians "having refused my petition for a free passage." He refers to "my Ambassador in London."

This telegram shows, on the other hand, another thing—the great ability of the Kaiser. Undoubtedly he knew why I was coming to see him—to present the offer of mediation of President Wilson—but from our conversation I do not think that he had even in his mind prepared the answer, which sets forth his position in entering the war.

He said: "Wait a moment; I shall write something for the President." Then taking the telegraph blanks lying on the table, he wrote rapidly and fluently. It was a message in a foreign language, and, whatever we may think of its content, at any rate it is clear, concise, consecutive and forceful.

The personal touch runs through that extraordinary series of telegrams in the famous "Willy-Nick" correspondence between Kaiser Wilhelm and the last of the Romanoffs, discovered in Petrograd by Herman Bernstein. These reveal, moreover, the surpassing craft of the German Kaiser. He was the master schemer. Touting for German trade, always for his advantage, he twists the poor half-wit of the Winter Palace like a piece of straw.

Emperor William was not satisfied with a quiet life as patron of trade. As he studied the portraits of his ancestors he felt that they gazed at him with reproachful eyes; demanded that he add, as did they, to the domains of the Hohenzollerns, that he return from war in triumph at the head of a victorious army, with the keys of fallen cities borne before him in conquering march.

One-tenth of Frederick the Great's people fell, but to the poverty-stricken peasant woman of Prussia, lamenting her husband and dead sons, did it matter that the rich province of Silesia had been added to the Prussian crown? What was it to that broken mother whether the Silesian peasants acknowledged the Prussian King or the Austrian Empress? Despots both. And what countless serfs fell in the wars between the King and the Empress! I once asked Von Jagow when this war would end: "An old history of

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JOSEPH PULITZER.
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

"Letters to Our Boys in France."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In regard to an article in your paper recently announcing that Gen. Pershing urges all relatives and friends of our boys in France to write to them as often as possible, for he says it helps to make them better soldiers, I wish to say that for the past five months I have been writing to France to a very dear and close friend of mine at least three times a week. But, nevertheless, he continually writes, saying he does not hear from me. Yet I receive letters from him regularly. Now, isn't there something to be done to prevent this annoying state of affairs?

Are all letters from here going to the bottom of the sea? Surely we cannot accept this for an answer. If we comply with Gen. Pershing's request to write to the boys as often as possible, is it not worth while for the Government to see that the letters we write reach them safely?

He received just one letter from me during the month of January, whereas, according to the number of letters I wrote in the month of December, he ought to have received at least 12.

Surely there is something to be remedied somewhere, and the sooner it is adjusted the better it will be for all concerned. J. B. W.

A New Order With New Managers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Our chaotic condition of today is the reaction of not applying the Golden Rule more extensively to our affairs in the past. There have been too many bosses (kings and capitalistic despots) who run the world's affairs for their own conveniences and selfish ends—men who thought they could beat God in running the world.

The boss ssytem is on its last pegs. A few more "schoolmasters" like Mr. Wilson will replace those bosses with real managers—managers who will recognize our natural heritage to live; managers who will shape our interests so as to bring home to our tired hearts and souls the essences of beauty and peace—a haven of rest on earth.

Let us forget that we are individuals and let us recognize the fact that "your interest is my interest and my interest is your interest." Nature is striving to bring this equable condition about among men, therefore it is essential, in order to assist nature in its beneficent efforts, to replace the world bosses with real world managers—managers who can do big things and who are possessed with moral sentiment enough to overcome the principle of cold and despotic business methods.

A perfect society is devoid of snobbery and degeneracy. Let us humble ourselves to the true fact that a perfect society is made up of workers, not drones. Give us real managers in the new order of things and our troubles will end. J. P. KLUG.

Dodging Citizenship.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The great number of aliens in our midst, as revealed by the recent investigations incident to the war, is a matter of surprise to our citizens as is also the fact that there is no law to compel those who come here from other countries to become citizens or return to their beloved fatherlands. It is certainly unfair that people should be allowed to settle here, compete with our citizens for employment or business, while retaining their allegiance to foreign rulers and evading the duties and responsibilities of citizenship. War or no war, the revelations show that it is high time such a law should be enacted.

After one, or at most two years' residence here, all but those who are diplomatic representatives of other countries should be compelled to "fish or cut bait."

OBSERVER.

For the Red Cross.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I believe that the American Red Cross is one of the best institutions ever founded in the name of humanity, because it recognizes no creed, class or color and therefore it should have the utmost support of everyone.

I would suggest for your consideration that the Red Cross place Red Cross cans in every public place in this country, and those who have coupons from cigarettes, soap, gum, etc., should donate them to the Red Cross, and I believe that in course of a year the Red Cross will be the gainer.

I know from personal experience that I have seen eight or ten tags lying around and have seen men buy gum and throw the wrapper away. These wrappers should be saved and the Red Cross could convert same into cash. MORRIS GORDON.
Houston, Tex.

PUBLIC UTILITY NEEDS.

Secretary McAdoo's appeal, approved by the President, to city and state authorities to grant increased fares and other relief to public utilities, wherever it is needed and possible, in order to assure good service, has a basis of justice.

The Secretary urges the necessity of maintaining continuous good service on the part of public utilities, in order to assure continuous, efficient work in war industries and business necessary to the successful prosecution of the war. He cites the increased cost of materials and the increased cost of living, which necessitates higher wages in all lines of labor, as reasons for liberal treatment of public utilities.

This is true. Maximum efficiency in the service of public utilities is essential to war work and the welfare of the country. In St. Louis we have had experience of the deadly effect of a brief cessation of street railway service, on war industries and all lines of business, not to speak of public comfort and convenience. If the wages of employes have not been increased sufficiently to meet increased living cost, they ought to be, and, in the end, they must be, to prevent labor troubles and to retain capable employes.

The President and Secretary, however, refer to the actual needs of the public utilities on a sound basis of honest finance and economical management. They do not propose that the people shall be burdened with increased cost of service to pay returns on accumulations of water-logged securities, to make plunder good and to meet the cost of dishonest charges or across-the-table contracts or other financial juggles or abuses which suck up the earnings of many public utilities, leaving insufficient funds out of ample gross earnings for decent wages and good service.

Public utility corporations asking for equitable relief of city authorities or State Public Service Commissions must come with clean hands. They must show a sound financial basis for their securities, and economical and efficient management. They must show that under these conditions they are unable to meet increased cost of service and maintenance.

Granting these conditions and the need of increased fares or rates to maintain efficient service, the people will submit cheerfully to added burdens for the purpose of keeping the public utilities going at a maximum efficiency. The people of the cities would be willing to have taxes reduced or all special revenue taken from public utility earnings eliminated if the money is actually needed and used for maintenance and service and is not absorbed as loot through juggled finances, watered securities, excess salaries or graft contracts.

The first necessary step to reduction of taxes or increase of charges or both, on the part of public utilities, is an exhibit of honest finances and efficient management. They must prove that they have clean hands and an honest ground for their pleas of relief or they must clean-up. When this is done the people will approve liberal measures of relief.

ABSENTEE CAMPAIGNING.

Henry Allen, a Kansas editor, is trying an experiment in campaigning. One day he announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Governor and the next day he departed for France on a special mission for the Red Cross. He was selected for the trip to France because of the things that he accomplished on a previous trip and he did not hesitate to accept when asked to return.

His candidacy before the State primary was a later incident and it arose after the leaders of the Republican party had failed at their annual dinner to select a slate that looked favorable to all concerned. Friends of Allen insisted that he was the man for the governorship and he let them decide. He left the nominating to them.

But, after all, Allen may not have made such a strange choice. It was known in Kansas for some time prior to his departure that he was going to France, and mothers, sisters and fathers of Kansas soldiers, now fighting in France, came to him with messages and with money and other commissions. He accepted all of these and promised to see every man if it was physically possible. Those who helped him with this list say that it exceeded 2000 names. And these mothers and sisters, and the mothers and sisters of other soldiers, will vote in this primary.

FARMERS AND LIBERTY LOANS.

The Federal Reserve Banks in the West and South are seeking new soil for the sale of the Third Liberty Loan bonds, which are to be issued some time this spring. The first steps of this campaign have been to subscribe for the country papers and a publicity agent and advertising man will be put in charge of a campaign that will appeal especially to this section of the country's press. The idea is that the small towns and farm communities have not, as a rule, absorbed as many of the bonds as the proportionate wealth suggests.

At the same time there is evidence from the farm sections that farmers view the war from the financial point of view. In Washington last week John A. Simpson, president of the Oklahoma Farmers' Union, testified before the Senate Agricultural Committee that a fixed price of $3 for the next wheat crop was necessary to bring a maximum production of that grain. He said that many "thin fields" would be plowed up and planted to corn if the higher price was not allowed. He rejected the suggestion of $2.50, which the committee later recommended.

A. A. Elmore, head of the farmers' organization in the State of Washington, took the same view.

Probably the attitude of these men will be resented by many farmers. It must be said that many rural districts have worked well for the Red Cross and that many counties have shown commendable interest in the thrift stamps. It is believed that the great mass of the farmers will respond when the Liberty Loan facts are made clear to them.

MORE WAR GARDENERS.

The call to arms for the war gardners was sounded at New Orleans last week and the early reports indicate an increase of more than 25 per cent of spade and hoe soldiers against the Kaiser.

The call was sounded a week earlier in parts of Texas and the managers of the campaign in that State are so encouraged by early enlistments that they predict that by the time that entire State gets to the garden season, for it takes several weeks for the planting season to extend entirely over Texas, that more than 500,000 war gardens will be planted. The term "war gardens" is used to distinguish the emergency gardens from the plots of those who raise gardens every year, either for sport, exercise or economy. These 500,000 war gardens, the leaders estimate, will produce more than $12,000,000 worth of vegetables. It is notable that the early sales of seeds in both of these communities have run largely to beans, cabbage and other forms of food that might be considered meat substitutes. Last year the war gardners gave preference to lettuce, radishes and other articles that may be regarded as luxuries.

A warning has been sounded for an economy of seed. There is danger of a scarcity of many kinds of seed, it is reported. Also it is said that some seed houses have distributed their stocks to local dealers pro rata to communities, and have no reserve. The State committeemen in both Louisiana and Texas are doing their utmost to conserve seed. They say there will be plenty if it is carefully used, but none must be wasted. Also, they advise gardeners to carefully estimate their needs, by planning ahead, and then buying early, but not more than they intend to plant.

The advertisement published by a local shirt factory for "one gore girl and one feller," and another calling for an "experienced bonaz," in an embroidery establishment, suggest the need of a glossary for the enlightenment of readers of the want columns. We hazard the guess that the "feller" will be a girl, employed perhaps in felling seams. But "bonaz" is a case for special research, and we have no theory to offer regarding it.

A POET'S GENEROUS MIND.

If the late unpleasantness between American critics and the English poet, William Watson, has not been entirely forgotten, Mr. Watson, at least, doesn't carry the grudge, judging from the nice things he is saying about our President.

We quarreled seriously with Mr. Watson, several years ago, about his poem, "The Woman With the Serpent's Tongue," although it perhaps was none of our business, strictly speaking. It will be remembered that the poet said some extremely unchivalrous things about a woman and it was supposed at the time that he was referring to the wife of a distinguished British statesman. We didn't think it at all gentlemanly of him, and we did not hesitate to say so—indeed, some of us said so with rather more heat than the matter seemed to warrant.

However, bygones are bygones, especially in these wartime days. We are quite willing to take back some of the harsh reflections we once made upon Mr. Watson's poetry, as poetry. Reading his recent lines on President Wilson we are inclined to believe his gift of poetical expression has been somewhat underrated. They are:

"* * * and at your head the famed, the trusted,
"The hated and revered one; he whose speech
"Is hazeless sister unto cloudless thought;
"Who, flooding with bland light all his theme,
"Can, when the hour craves gallant archery,
"Unquiver none the less a deadly lightning.
"A mind 'twixt wariness and boldness poised,
"Wide-watching and far-scouting, subtle and sage;
"Cool, as a pine at its firm heart is cool,
"Though secretly a colleague with the sun,
"And living by his fire; a soul erect
"Ev'n as the pine itself is: and although
"Towering amid the forest of your life
"O'er all beside, still of that forest, still
"One only of a hundred million trees
"Knowing no difference in their right to summer."

The British are so literal-minded. When they tried to prevent the world war the Kaiser, in effect, said to them: "Go to Jericho." Now they've gone and done it.

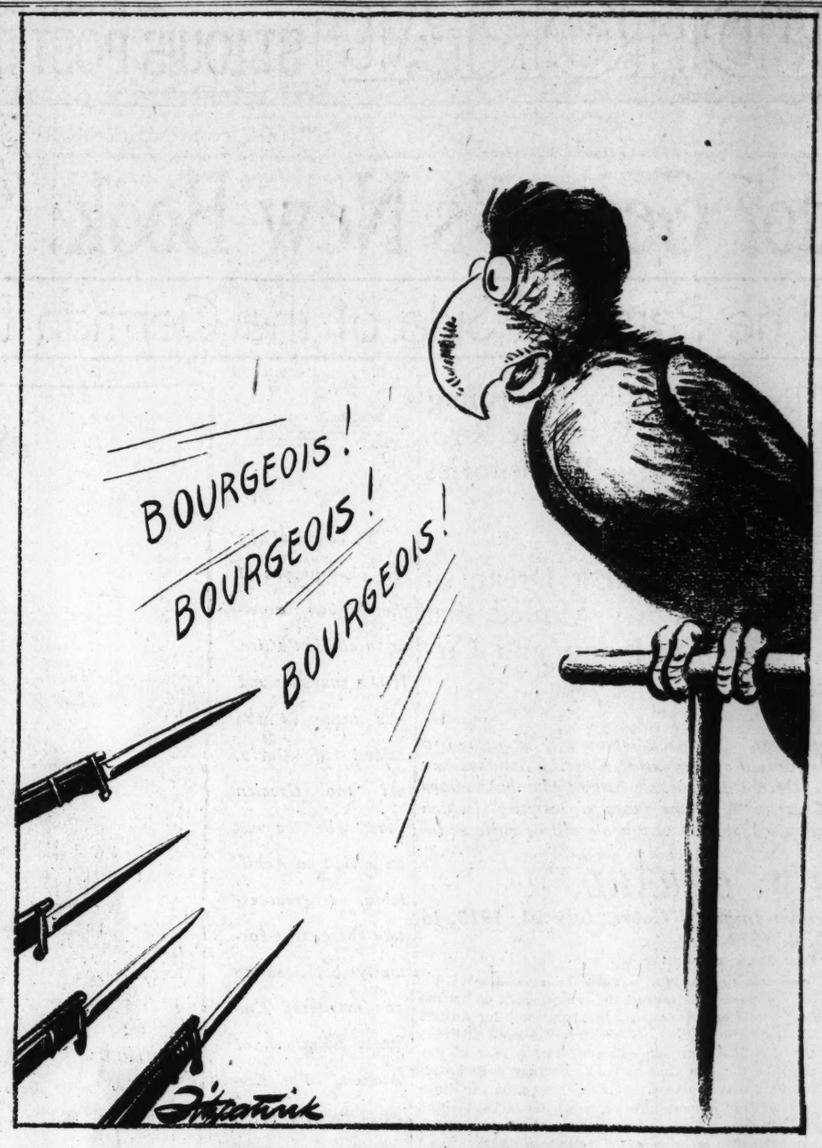
AFFILIATED TEN-HEN CLUBS.

They are forming 10-hen clubs in New England. Article I, section 1, of the constitution of each club provides that every member must keep 10 hens.

The scope and purpose of the organizations have been so shaped and defined as to place them well within the limitations of the dweller in congested areas of large cities. Eggs being sold by the dozen, it might be supposed that chicken raising under associated auspices would naturally appear in the form of 12-hen clubs, thus affording easy titular transitions to the dozen-and-a-half hen club, the two-dozen hen club, etc. A sifting of data, however, showed that 10-hen clubs would rest on a much broader basis in eligible membership than clubs of greater than 10-hen power. The crumbs from the average city dweller's table would maintain 10 hens in plumpness, but 12 in only emaciation. Ten hens might with care be provided with space on the premises of an average city dweller, but a mezzanine back yard would be required for 12 and fractional hens positively cannot be considered. Ten hens, taking one week with another, will lay just about eggs enough for the dietary needs of the average city-dwelling family, but eight hens couldn't lay enough.

So the 10-hen club it is, and among the countless organizations for which the war furnishes at least an excuse when it doesn't furnish an acknowledged field of usefulness, what other can we think of that has greater promise? For the benefit of members, all poultry lore is to be reduced to the 10-hen basis. Even a standardized type of chicken house, with accommodations for 10 hens—no more, no less—is to be used.

In putting down the Potsdam outfit, the 10-hen clubs can be of substantial assistance. By the time there are enough local branches to form county, state and national federations of 10-hen clubs, Prussianism will realize that something has struck it.



RUSSIA'S LINE OF DEFENSE.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by *Clark McAdams*

"THE HEART O' YE."

AYE, th' night croons i' th' wisp o' dreams
An' swoons i' th' twilight's hush;
A' cosy th' lark lies i' her nest
I' th' forest, hedge or bush;
An' th' moon's a-liiting a sad love rune
To th' heart o' th' list'ning sea,
While th' part o' ye is th' heart o' ye
A-callin' th' heart o' me.

Th' rose dreams thro' th' spangled night
O' th' bees that kissed her lips,
A' th' ghost sails spread o'er lonely seas
O'er th' wraiths on phantom ships;
Th' weird songs quaver on morphic breeze
Where th' night-folk frolic free—
Aye, th' heart o' ye is th' part o' ye
That beckons th' heart o' me.

I' th' ebon cloak th' sere wold dreams
Where th' shades o' th' passing fly,
'Till th' wanton-Night, a' th' stars have slain
While her demons whip th' sky;
Croon dirge, O, waves! Chant dirge, O, winds
O'er th' tomb by th' wrathful sea!
There th' part o' ye is th' heart o' ye
That is breakin' th' heart o' me!

F. A. KERR.

Curious to know how far Mr. Kerr had succeeded in imitating Patience Worth, we sent the poem to Mr. and Mrs. Curran for criticism. The following letter is from Mr. Curran:

Dear Mr. McAdams:

I am returning Mr. Kerr's poem "after Patience Worth" which Mrs. Curran and I have read with pleasure. It is rather a pleasing thing, even though he makes the moon "lilt" and talks of the shades of the passing fly.

As to the language; Patience never uses "i' " or "th' " or "thro' " or "an' " except in character dialect conversation. In her poetry in the Scotch she uses "a' " for all, and the other usual abbreviations; but her late poetry is modern with a few idioms of her own. We have had hundreds of purported Patience Worth writings shown us, but not one was even near like hers. It seems almost impossible to imitate her. For instance, Patience would not use the word "morphic" as in this poem.

JOHN H. CURRAN.

Fords have gone up $90, but Ford stories will never rise again.

A Washington avenue sign:

> Wanted—Girls to sew pants on a power machine.

This is the first intimation that power machines on Washington avenue are wearing pants. We are glad to hear it.

The following sign appears in Little Rock, Ark.

> Al Kines
> Meats and Groceries

However, our sign hunter was somewhat taken back to learn, upon inquiry, that Al Kines was the name of the merchant, and not, as he supposed, what sign hunters are looking for.

WINE AND OTHER THINGS.

SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE.

IF you do not sling the French lingo well and want to say "dry dock," and don't know the word for dry, say "thirsty dock" and the Frenchman will comprehend your meaning—and laugh, too.

That laugh of his makes up for a great scarcity of bath tubs. While you're here you may have to brush your teeth in wine or lemonade—but you can at least buy the wine without hiring a lawyer and fixing the grand jury.

Then, there's the heated question of cold rooms in which to arise in the A. M.

It's a problem—if you have not already decided that no room was ever made to get up in early in the A. M.

Wait for your place in the sun!

The movies are a passion with the French, but it's a question of how popular they would be were it not for the fact that they open when the wine shops close.

Where an American would think of putting a front porch on his house, the Frenchman knocks out the wall, buys a cask of "Dago Red" and opens up a tiny "zig-zag" parlor hardly large enough to hold the average St. Louis brewery driver, and with not as much stock as he can easily hold.

The wine shop in France is a side line. If business is dull with a cobbler he sells his soul to the devil.

This is one place where Billy Sunday would have a hard time, for as reported to you before, the colored First Sergeant has stated "There be's no Sundays."

All days look alike to Sammy, except pay day.

The French have solved the problem that perplexes the Maryland Car Line Protective Association—in the matter of shortage of gas masks for the home guard.

They don't use the inside of the cars!

The interior is just a bluff—just to make it look like a street car. At each end of the car are immense platforms and thereon—squeezed together tighter than the W. K. sardines, are men, women, children and lady conductors.

Perhaps if the U. R. used lady conductors enough male passengers would keep them company to give seats to the less susceptible.

More of France later. Au Revoir! BO.

One of our readers expresses regret that Just a Minute has seen fit to champion booze. Our last reference to the subject—January 7, 1918: "St. Louis county has lost 52 saloons since April 1 of last year.—News. Lost is good."

WIND OF THE WEST.

WIND of the West, come over the sea—
Wind of the cream white sail—
Wind come sing in my willow tree,
Tell me he cannot fail.
Wind—from the western front where he
In the land of dying, fights gallantly.
Wind of the west, come over the sea,
Bring him home safely to me.
Wind in the night, come over the sea,
Wind of the pale white moon.
Wind come whisper softly to me.
Say that he'll sail home soon.
Wind on the western front does he,
When the moon drifts low, then think of me?
Wind in the night, come over the sea,
Bringing courage to me. *GRAEME BURR.*

The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

WORLD ASPECTS OF BOLOISM.

From the Christian Science Monitor.

THE somewhat sordid tragedy of Bolo is, however, of far less interest than its indication of the extent to which treachery is prevalent in the world today. Never, probably, since the Italy of the later Emperors or of the Borgias has there been the same record of shameless treachery and brutality as has been revealed since the war began. The Romans never treated a conquered province worse than Serbia and Armenia have been treated in the nineteenth century of the Christian era; the Borgias never developed a system of treachery which could compare with that spun by the Wilhelmstrasse. But the worst part, almost, of the whole thing, is the justification extended to these acts in civilized countries. History has shown that whenever luxury has mastered a people this people has become deadened to a sense of Principle. This is why the story of the Renaissance, with all its wonders of art and literature, is stained with the record of a Christian paganism and a social animality illustrated by the careers of men, otherwise such poles asunder, as John Tiptoft and Benvenuto Cellini.

Today a recrudescence of the Renaissance luxury has brought about a recrudescence of the Renaissance blood-guiltiness. On no other grounds would it be possible to explain the general indifference of the world to such acts as the gradual murder of a nation in Serbia or in Armenia. It is quite true, of course, that an enormous number of people are horrified at what has occurred, but if that horror had been anything like universal, as it should have been, the very beginnings of those tragedies would have been also the end of them. Less than 300 years ago a threat from Cromwell was sufficient to halt the Piedmont massacres. But today evil thinks itself strong enough to commit atrocities in the full assurance that it can trust to the shortness of the world's memory, or to the world's indifference, if everything else should fail.

When Abdul Hamid turned loose the butcher of Adana on the defenseless Armenians the world shuddered, but Abdul was a mere tyro in crime compared with Enver, Talaat or Djemal "the hangman." But the Turkish triumvirate were only improving on the example set them by Germany in Belgium, and by Austria in Serbia, and their torturings and murderings could have been stopped by Austria or Germany, at any moment without trouble. But the Christian countries which approved and permitted the declaration of Islam of a Holy War, with all the horrors it would have included, had no interest in saving the Armenian, the Syrian, Christian or the Jew. It was, indeed, to stave off the penalty for these things, and to endeavor to intrench more firmly the alliance responsible for them, that Bolo Pasha, with his portmanteaux of bank notes, was sent to Paris.

The mission of Bolo was to procure the treachery of France, as the treachery of Russia was to be procured. He was to purchase newspapers and politicians for the purpose of influencing French public opinion, and so betraying the nation into a separate peace. It was a desperate scheme, but there were certain elements in French politics which made it far from hopeless. Anyway, it was only part of the policy of intimidation and intrigue which was being carried on all over the world, a policy which has failed with Norway and Brazil, but been entirely successful, so far, with Argentina and Spain. Of course, the greatest failure of all has been in the United States. But even in the United States what could not be effected, in a large way, by terrorism, has been effected, in a petty way, by treachery. What the hint of the Lusitania could not do, arson, in a limited way, has achieved. Count von Bernstorff may have gone, but "the German with the match" remains.

Sabbath Made for Man.

From the Springfield Republican.

NOT only should Maj. Henry L. Higginson's bill to allow soldiers and sailors in the service of the United States to play baseball and football Sunday afternoons be given favorable consideration on Beacon Hill, but it would be well to make the tolerance so desirable in that case apply to amateur sports generally. The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath. It is to be hoped that the spiritual side of Sunday will never depart and surely experiences through which the world is passing are making men more responsive to it. Changes in the social order have tended to make man require more of Sunday than the old order supplied. Refreshment must enter into the day of rest if it is to yield the best results. When Maj. Higginson said the young men in the camps needed some recreation after six days of routine he stated an obvious fact. Chaplain Stone of the Charlestown navy yard testified that "Sunday is one of the worst days in the service. Something positive must be given the men to do after they attend service and finish the day's work." The evil possibilities of the present situation under such circumstances need not be dwelt upon. That which is said of soldiers and sailors applies to others. Workers need exercise on Sunday afternoons, and why not open the way to such wholesome use of that opportunity as has been proposed? No abuse is suggested, but such employment of idle time as will help and not injure soldiers and sailors and the rest of us.

TODAY'S BEST CARTOON.



AND NOW HE WANTS THE BARREL.
—Orr in the Chicago Tribune.

Events in the Social World

Benefit Performances, With the Automobile Show and Some Weddings Hold Attention of the Week—Much Interest Being Taken in Support of Soldiers and Sailors' Club—Red Cross Society Is the Beneficiary in a Number of Events.

THE principal events of the week to hold the attention of society were several benefit performances, with the automobile show as a welcome diversion. The metamorphosis of the old Southern Hotel, which has become almost historic, into an exhibit building, seemed strange to the older generation and a flood of reminiscences were evoked. For many, it was difficult to reconcile the fact that the place where the automobile was paramount was once the scene of some of the most brilliant social events this city has ever witnessed, and that in the corridors where engines, radiators and cylinders were the topic of conversation, the wit and beauty of St. Louis among the belles and beaux of a former generation held sway.

Many fashionable weddings were celebrated at this famous old hostelry, among them that of Miss Clara Busch when she became the bride of Paul von Gontard, which was said to have been the most elaborate and lavish wedding that has ever been seen in St. Louis. The Home Circle, that exclusive club which was a forerunner of the Imperial, held a number of balls there also, and many other social affairs of note took place within its walls.

AMONG the patriotic benefit entertainments to which society lent its presence was the recital given by Mme. Peroux-Williams at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Faust of 1 Portland place, on Thursday evening, with Mrs. Max Kotany and Mrs. Luther Ely Smith in charge of the affair. The proceeds, which were considerable, were donated to the St. Louis Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Washington's birthday was the occasion of the lecture by John Masefield for the benefit of the Kingdom House Settlement, and society was out in numbers to greet the warrior-poet and to make the evening a successful one.

That same evening the Jefferson Chapter, D. A. R., sponsored a pageant entitled "The Drawing of the Sword," given at the Missouri School for the Blind, the students of the school taking part.

The money realized from this entertainment will go toward war relief work in which this chapter is interested, and include the rehabilitation of the town of Tilloloy, in France, and the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club of St. Louis. The Jefferson Chapter has devoted all of its time this year to war relief work and much good has been accomplished

TWO recitals at which nearly 200 well-known women of St. Louis will act as patronesses will be given at the St. Louis Woman's Club, the first one on Monday, March 4, and the other the following Monday, March 11. Estella Neuhaus, pianiste, and J. Howe Clifford, Shakespearean reader, will be the artists. One-third of the proceeds from these recitals will go toward Edith Wharton's war charities in France, which include American hospitals for women refugees and a rescue committee for the children of Flanders.

Mr. Clifford is a reader of unusual ability and interprets Shakspeare with true dramatic art. Miss Neuhaus is well known as a pianiste and has given recitals in nearly all the largest cities of the United States. With the list of patronesses, these musicales promise to be social as well as artistic entertainments.

THE ST. LOUIS MATERNITY HOSPITAL is an institution that has been a vital factor for good in the community ever since its establishment some years ago, and just now its capacity has been taxed, as well as its resources as never before, owing to the fact a number of soldiers' wives are being cared for within its doors. Some of the most prominent society women in the city are interested in this institution and are members of the board, and they have planned a series of afternoon and evening entertainments for the purpose of raising money to help defray the expenses of the work they are doing.

These entertainments will consist of four Saturday afternoon matinee picture show performances for children, at which pictures will be shown especially selected and censored to appeal to the young. They will be given at the Lorelei on Olive street near Taylor avenue, the first one on March 9 and the three succeeding Saturday afternoons. On Friday evening, March 8, will be the first evening affair for the grown-ups and it is planned to have a well-known speaker as an attraction, the name will be announced later, and another evening of the same kind will be given shortly afterwards.

Some of the women who are working for its success are Mrs. Allen T. West, the president, Mmes. Dwight Davis, Benoist Carton, Clarence Stratton, D. B. Hussey, Emmett Myers, John Holliday, Joseph Singer, Lester Goldman, Edgar Niggeman, Ewing Hill Jr., Lon Hocker, J. I. Epstein, Ben Chapman, Harold Kauffman, John C. Roberts, George Marion Brown, Firmin Desloge and others.

THURSDAY evening at the Wednesday Club Auditorium, the Morning Choral Club will give a concert to help in financing the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club of St. Louis. This will be the first time in the history of the Morning Choral that they have deviated from the rule of giving nothing but subscription concerts with relatives and friends as guests.

The concert Thursday will be substituted for the usual fancy dress frolic which the club has always given as a feature of its annual season, and will be styled "Old-Fashioned Songs of All Nations," and will be participated in by the entire club strength of 100 trained voices acting as principals and chorus, attired in costumes for the period from which the songs are drawn. The feature of the evening promises to be the processional, in which Mrs. Archer O'Reilly, the club president, will lead the club while it renders the ever-inspiring chorus, "Scotland's Burning."

Among the prominent women who will take part in the program are Mmes. Archer O'Reilly, Taylor Bernard, C. Mueller, R. M. Milligan, H. D. Holman, Carol Smith, Charles Stanley, C. Dawson, E. H. Macy, Charles W. Allen, J. W. Hopkins, Arthur L. Dickie, T. F. Liese, J. J. Kessler, W. T. Jones, Arthur N. Schisler, J. H. Moorehead, J. Davie, Hector Pazmezoglu, W. O. Reeder, W. B. Weston, Willard Bartlett, H. J. Symons, R. H. Ogle, William Roth, E. G. Payne and W. L. Ricker, and Misses Mildred Wallace, Elizabeth Bradley, Blanche Herrick, Olga Hembuecher, Marietta Schumacher, Adelaide Logan, Lorine Haueisen, Marie Becker, Olga Bates, Florence Grant and Edna Wagner.

SOCIETY will be represented at the Municipal Athletic Association carnival at the Coliseum next Saturday night, which is for the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club of the War Camp Community Service Board, 1137 Olive street, and financed by various women's organizations of the city. The hostesses of the club will act as patronesses at the carnival and include: Mmes. Robert Burkham, J. D. Perry Francis, J. C. Ballard, John G. Lonsdale, A. B. Donnelly, Harry Stegall, Lee Van Cleave, H. W. Soper, Ben Chapman, Harry Langenberg, A. N. Gaebler, O. N. Von Schrader, J. S. Fuqua, W. A. Stickney, E. V. Papin, A. B. Ewing, Frank C. Blelock, J. N. McKelvey, Isaac Hodges, C. M. Talbert, T. K. Niedringhaus, E. R. Kinsey, H. Watson, John Gundlach, A. D. Nortoni, J. A. Hooke, John Schmoll, Henry W. Kiel, Peyton Carr, Harry Block, C. H. Fisk, W. A. McCandless, Martin J. Collins, N. A. Doyle, George Dieckmann, O. P. Meyer, J. G. Cahill, C. Dewitt Lukens, W. E. Rolfe, Herbert Parker, Rubens Humphrey and Charlton Messick and Misses Sarah Tower and Carlotta Glasgow.

The entertainment of the evening includes exhibitions by the Turners societies, drills by the Grotto Zouaves and the De Andreis Council, Knights of Columbus, a human flag formation by Sunday school children, a wall scaling exhibition by Boy Scouts, a tug of war between the Police Department and the Division of Parks and Recreation, a bayonet drill and broadsword maneuvers by the Y. M. C. A. and a number of other events.

Ostrich Feathers cleaned, curled and dyed like new. J. J. Ryan, 617 Lucas av.—ADV.

THE members of the St. Louis branch of the American Fund for French Wounded have established a North Side headquarters at 2904 North Vandeventer avenue, the formal dedication having taken place on Thursday afternoon, when a card party was given to raise funds to help purchase gauze for the surgical dressings, as well as other hospital supplies that the members are engaged in making. Classes will be held in the new quarters every Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock and will be in charge of Miss Elise Boeckeler, Mrs. William Stuart Culbertson and Mrs. Edward A. Limberg. Miss Ellanore Scott is the chairman of the quarters.

At the party Thursday Mrs. Thomas McKittrick made the opening address and Mrs. Frank Crunden told of the work of the society. The main headquarters are at 3621 Washington boulevard and many women give much of their time to the work which is being accomplished by this war relief society. Mrs. Leo de Smet Carton is one of the prominent workers in this cause and every Tuesday evening she conducts a class at the Union Methodist Church, where surgical dressings and hospital supplies are made.

The male members of the church are just as interested in this work apparently as the women, and about 25 men belong to this class. Last Tuesday evening from 8 until 10 o'clock more than 600 surgical dressings were made. Donations are requested to this fund. No matter how small, they will be gratefully received to help carry on a work which is so important at this time.

PLANS are being formulated for a large, patriotic card party, March 19, at the Planters Hotel, for the benefit of two of the important war-work organizations of the city—the Relatives' Auxiliary of the St. Louis National Guard and the Children of America Loyalty League. The party will be one of the largest affairs of the season, according to the plans, and will have as sponsors and participants most of the leading workers in patriotic movements in St. Louis. Mrs. W. B. Knight and Mrs. Nat S. Brown are associate chairmen of the General Committee in charge of arrangements, with the following as chairmen of the Working Committees: Mmes. Arthur B. Donnelly, Carl O. Houseman, John D. Marshall, B. G. Fallis, H. E. Heltzel, G. F. Decker, Homer Hisey, Paul Jones, Joseph Kohn, A. J. Gaines, E. G. Cherbonnier, C. E. Bayless, J. E. Davenport, Harold Hale, J. Hoffman, C. D. Ashcroft, B. F. Spencer, Grover B. Simpson, Charles Cox, John Bogue, Chris Hart, Frank Pierce and Miss Maude Holmes.

For beautiful flowers at the right time, at the right price, phone Cabany 519 or write C. D. Hecht, Florist, proprietor of "The House of Flowers," 6600 Delmar avenue.—ADV.

THE Red Cross is to benefit from the concert arranged for Sheldon Auditorium, Thursday evening, March 7, in which Mrs. Martin Lammert will be heard for the first time in public recital. She has a beautiful soprano voice and up to the present Mrs. Lammert's friends alone have had the privilege of hearing her sing in the home, but the opportunity to substantially serve the Red Cross prompted her to participate in the concert. On the program with Mrs. Lammert will be H. Max Steindel, first cellist of the Symphony Orchestra; David Earle, pianist, and Tyrie W. Lyon at the organ.

Miss Harriette Krause of the Netherby Hall apartments entertained with an informal tea on Thursday afternoon in honor of Miss Harriet Price, one of the season's buds. Miss Elizabeth Kennard poured and among the guests were Misses Marion Bridge, Vesta Reed, Amy Rule, Frances Orrick, Eleanor and Nancy Chase, Dorothy Phillips, Mary Frances Price, Edith Skipwith, Crenshaw and Elizabeth Waller, Mary Skeen.

Ladies' Hats cleaned, pressed and dyed like new. J. J. Ryan, 617 Lucas av.—ADV.

THE knitting teas which are given by the St. Louis Woman's Club on the first Thursday in each month are looked forward to with pleasure by the members. One was given last Thursday, the date having been changed for this time. Mrs. John Ockerson, chairman of the Hospitality Committee, assisted by the members of the committee, Mmes. Ashley D. Scott, Oscar Niedringhaus, D. B. Hussey, John Wallace and Edwin S. Puller, had charge of the afternoon. The women have done much toward contributing warm garments for the sailors and soldiers.

Next Thursday the club will entertain with a current topics luncheon at 1 o'clock, when the guest of honor will be Mrs. Charles Humann, who will give a talk on some of her personal experiences in France during the war.

Miss Charlotte Sharp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sharp of 3827 Botanical avenue will depart today for Tampico, Mexico, where she will become the bride of Frank A. Tillman Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tillman of 3853 McRee avenue, upon her arival there. Mr. Tillman formerly resided in St. Louis and attended the St. Louis University, but is now located in Tampico with the Huasteca Petrol Co. Miss Sharp will be accompanied by Miss Rose Simmons of New York, who will wed Mr. Randolph Sessman, formerly of that city, who is also in Tampico. Miss Sharp graduated from the Central High School and has been one of the popular members of the South Side younger set.

Adjutant-General Harvey C. Clark and Mrs. Clark are expected in St. Louis Tuesday for a short stay and while here will be much entertained by their St. Louis friends. Gen. Clark is coming to make an address before the Relatives' Auxiliary of the St. Louis National Guard Tuesday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A., 1411 Locust street, and is to represent Gov. Gardner at a meeting of the Advertising Club of St. Louis. Gen. and Mrs. Clark will visit their son, Edward Clark, who is a student at Washington University. Among the affairs planned in their honor is a dinner Tuesday night at the Mercantile Club at which Mrs. Carl O. Houseman, president of the Relatives' Auxiliary of the St. Louis National Guard, will be hostess.

The wedding of Miss Margaret Drey and Dr. J. Louis Swarts on Thursday was one of the interesting weddings of the week. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Lizzie H. Drey, 4543 Westminster place, at 6:30 o'clock followed by a bridal dinner. Mrs. Randall Tilles was her sister's only attendant and Dr. Moyer Fleisher served as best man. The bride was graduated from Hosmer Hall and was an honor graduate at Vassar College two years ago. Dr. Swarts is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swarts of the Hanley road, and is a Harvard graduate. After a honeymoon trip to Excelsior Springs the couple will be at home in the Warwick court apartments after March 15. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Drey, of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Heydon, of Newark, N. J., came on to attend the wedding.

Miss Edna McFadden of New York, the guest of Miss Ellen Parle of 325 North Taylor avenue, has been much entertained during her visit. Miss Leslie Price of 26 King's highway, entertained in her honor, also Misses Jessamyn Ferguson, Lucile Musick, Marion Cronk, Carrie Belle Atkins, Emily Ryan and many others.

An engagement of interest recently announced is that of Miss Dorothy Ferneding and J. E. Charles Lohn. Miss Ferneding is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Emil S. Clauss of 3670 Flora boulevard, with whom she resides. She was graduated at the Sacred Heart Convent at Maryville and made her debut two years ago. Since then she has been one of the most popular girls on the South Side.

Mr. Lohn is from Essex, England, and resides at the Buckingham Hotel. The wedding will take place in April.

The marriage of Miss Jessie Bell Sanders and Clinton A. Pickett was one of the weddings of the week, taking place on Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sanders of the Hanley road. Miss Martha Sanders, a cousin of the bride, was maid of honor, and Miles Hinton served as best man. Little Natalie Chadsey Sanders, a niece of the bride was flower girl. After a wedding journey Mr. and Mrs. Pickett will be at home at 5193 Vernon avenue. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pickett of Altamont, Ill.

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The wedding of Miss Florence Heffernan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Heffernan of 5709 Etzel avenue, and Paul K. McGaffigan, formerly of East St. Louis, but residing with his sister, Mrs. Charles Inman of 4928 Buckingham court, was solemnized Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Rose's Church. Miss Regina Davine was the bride's only attendant and Dr. J. Hogan of East St. Louis was best man. A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony, after which Mr. McGaffigan and his bride departed for the West and will make their home in San Francisco.

A shower was given in honor of Mrs. James Gallagher at her residence, 1474 Laurel street, on Thursday evening. Mrs. Gallagher is a recent bride, her wedding having been celebrated on Feb. 7 at St. Rose's Church. Her husband is a Corporal, stationed at Camp Doniphan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Waller of 6107 Westminster place have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lillie A. Waller, and Charles R. Humphreys, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Humphreys of 1228 Blackstone avenue. The wedding took place Saturday evening, Feb. 16, at the residence of the bride's parents. Miss Alice K. Wills was maid of honor and Lester Humphreys, the bridegroom's brother, was best man. Little Maud Starkey was the flower girl. After a honeymoon trip the couple will be at home temporarily with the bride's parents.

Miss Catherine Flood of 4009 Forest Park boulevard, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Catherine Beveridge of Omaha, Neb., will depart for New York City, Tuesday evening, and will be joined by their uncle and aunt, Capt. and Mrs. J. V. Beveridge of Washington, D. C. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

Edward and Moses Horn of 5529 Berlin avenue have issued cards announcing the marriage of their sister, Miss Mattie Lee Horn, to Louis Silverstein of 4121 Washington avenue, on Thursday evening, Feb. 21. Rabbi M. Spitz officiated. The couple will return to St. Louis after a four weeks' trip in the East.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bryan Collin of 535 Dover place, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Isabel Collin, to Sergt. Edgar H. Schwarzenbach, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Schwarzenbach of Washington place, East St. Louis, Ill. Miss Collin is a graduate of Mary Institute.

Sergt. Schwarzenbach is stationed at Camp Taylor, Ky. He is a graduate of Washington University law school, formerly a football star and a member of the Kappa Alpha Phi fraternity. The date of the wedding has not been announced.

The marriage of Miss Marion Tabler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Tabler of 5266 Vernon avenue, and Emil Sebastian, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Sebastian of Cape Girardeau, Mo., was solemnized yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Union Avenue Christian Church, with the Rev. Mr. Campbell officiating.

Mrs. Clara Hart, 1916A Geyer avenue is expected her son, Frank, from Fort Sill, Ok., on a nine-day furlough.

Privates John F. Kenealy and J. C. Friedrich of Camp Doniphan have been the guests of Mrs. John E. Kenealy, 3537 Clark avenue, while on a furlough. They have been the guests of honor at a number of parties while here, and at one of the most recent parties, which was given at the home of Mrs. Kenealy, the guests were: John Ryan, M. L. Delaney, Kenneth Snow, Arthur Cowich, Alan P. and Ben Walsh, Sidney Barnard, Joe Anglin; Misses Eleanor and Lucile Barnard, Helen Donohue, Violet Lay, Marie Walsh, Bertha Anglin, Mary and Ellen Kenealy, Mrs. Edna Palmer, Mrs. M. Donohue, Mrs. William Graf, Miss Teresa Dee.

Mrs. E. T. Hasselbring and infant son of New York are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hoagland of 4547 Page boulevard.

Mrs. B. H. Harding of 4045 Ashland avenue has announced the marriage of her sister, Miss Jennette Colonna, to L. H. Elsas of Atlanta, Ga. The couple are touring Florida on their honeymoon.

Mrs. Charles Gabler of 3960 Utah place and Mrs. H. C. Schlender entertained at a valentine party Feb. 14, in honor of their sister, Miss Martha Dryer, 3517 McKean avenue. The house was decorated in cupids and hearts. The guests included Misses Lucille Hobart, Helen Bickle, Zoe Mullens, Mildred McLaughlin, Mildred Cerney, Ora Teschmacher, Gertrude Dyck, and Messrs. Charles Gaines, Meredith Hobart, Carl Roth, Irvin Hobson, Harry Woerhle, Wilbur Fishel, Harry Frick, H. C. Schlender and Herbert Frankenstein.

Miss Marguerite Padberg of 3941 Wyoming street was hostess at a dinner on Sunday evening in honor of William Jennings Quain, who is home on a furlough from the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence J. Padberg, Misses Aloyse Murray, Margaret Hackman, Marcia Quain; Messrs. Joseph Kearns, Arthur Striebel and Robert Quain.

The marriage of Miss Rose Kopff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Kopff of 5629 Reber place, and A. Feldhaus, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Feldhaus of 3935 Blair avenue, was solemnized at St. Aloysius' Church on Feb. 12 at 8:30 o'clock in the morning. Miss Jeannette Kopff was her sister's maid of honor and Catherine Helfrich, the bride's little niece, was flower girl. Phil Brennan was the best man. The bride wore a gown of white satin and tulle embroidered in pearls, with a court train, and carried bridal roses and sweet peas. The bridemaid was gowned in yellow satin and carried sunburst roses, and the flower girl carried an open parasol filled with sweet peas. After a honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Feldhaus will be at home at 2791 Sullivan avenue.

Mrs. John Maxwell of 6017 West Cabanne avenue will entertain the members of the Friday Club the coming Friday. Mrs. Lily Wilcox will be the assistant hostess.

Miss Louise Tutt, daugther of George E. Tutt of Fulton, Mo., and David B. Reed Jr., son of David B. Reed of 3624 Russell avenue, were married Thursday evening at the home of the bride, in Fulton. The bridegroom was a student at Westminster College when he met his bride. He will depart shortly for Camp Funston, where he will be engaged in Y. M. C. A. work.

The Corona Catholic Club announces that the entertainment feature of this month will consist of an illustrated lecture on Joan of Arc, Thursday evening, at the headquarters, 3730 Lindell boulevard. The lecture will be given by members of the lecture class of the St. Louis University and the pictures of scenes in France should prove of particular interest at this time.

The L. A. L. girls gave a theater party last Saturday evening. After the performance they were entertained by Miss Margaret Keitel of 5928 Horton place. Those present were: Misses M. Colbrun, C. Taylor, W. Mansfield, M. Hackman, M. Audy, M. Peters, M. Heslep, L. Brown, E. Wagner and W. Mackins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Weigman of Louisville, Ky., are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter. Mrs. Weigman will be remembered as Miss Gladys Weber of Webster Groves.

The marriage of Miss Catherine Noelken, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Noelken of Red Bud, Ill., and Philip F. H. Maag, son of Mrs. Sophie K. Wethmar, of 4466 Swan

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MISS LESLIE PRICE
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MISS CHARLOTTE SHARP
WHO DEPARTS TODAY FOR MEXICO WHERE SHE WILL WED MR. FRANK A. TILLMAN JR..


STRAUSS PORTRAIT.

MISS DOROTHY FERNEDING
WHOSE ENGAGEMENT TO MR. J. E. CHARLES LOHN HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED.


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MRS MARTIN LAMMERT
WHO WILL SING AT A RED CROSS BENEFIT ON MARCH 7.

THE SANDERS-PICKETT BRIDAL PARTY

Miles Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton A. Pickett, Miss Martha Sanders, Natalie Chadsey Sanders, flower girl.

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avenue, was celebrated Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of the bridegroom's mother, with the Rev. H. Walser of St. Luke's Evangelical Lutheran Church officiating. Miss C. Wochner was the maid of honor and John Duepy served as best man. The bridemaids were Misses Mathilda Noelken, Sophie and Metta Dierker. After a trip to Kansas City the couple will be at home with the bridegroom's mother after March 1.

The Riverview Club will have a ladies' card party Thursday afternoon, preceded by a luncheon, and on Saturday evening there will be a masquerade party at the club.

A farewell party was given Wednesday evening in honor of Alfred Dill at his home, 3850 McRee avenue. Those present were: Misses Blanch Rudolph, Helen Johnson, Lill Taylor, Mildred and Helen Jakle, Elizabeth Wilson, Virginia McBride, Laura Prosser, Amy Dill, Ethel Daily and Helen Leach; Messrs. Ed Feigle, Leslie Arnold, Dick Jakle, Orrville Young, Emmett and Jerry Dillon, W. Johnson, Ed Schilling and G. Rimmey, and Mrs. D. Jakle.

Corporal F. W. Baumhoff, who is stationed at Camp Doniphan, spent part of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Baumhoff of 3501 Victor street. Miss Isabelle Baumhoff, a niece, en route for service in the Navy Hospital at Norfolk, Va., spent three days with her aunt and uncle. Sergt. H. G. Baumhoff, with Truck Company 382, Camp Funsten, is expected to visit his parents soon.

Announcements have just been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Robert June of Detroit of the arrival on Feb. 9 of a son, John Denny June. Mrs. June will be remembered as Miss Elsie M. Denny, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Denny of 1236 Goodfellow avenue.

The Twentieth Century Art Club will hold its next regular meeting at the Jefferson Memorial tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The subject will be "Engravers and Etchers." Mrs. Warren Bruce, Mrs. G. A. Wells and Mrs. A. C. Meyer will be on the program. Mrs. Ernest Stix will speak on "Equal Suffrage."

Mrs. Jacob Lauber, 5800 Cote Brilliante avenue, entertained in honor of her husband's birthday Thursday. The decorations were red, white and blue and the guests were: Misses Elsie Just, Edna Mae Kolb, Clara Lindhorst, Dorothy Marten, and Messrs. T. Portman, W. Teabicer, Messrs. and Mmes. Gus Marten, Willam Just, E. W. Kolb and Mrs. A. Just,

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lutz of 4533 Wichita avenue gave a cupid party in honor of their daughter, Miss Katherine Augusta Lutz, Sunday, to announce her engagement to Herman H. Kistenmacher.

Those present were Misses Mathilda Witte, Leona Iselin, Wilma Levy, Hedwig Hubell, May Leighton, Helen Dyckes, Dora Netzold, Florance Weemann, Minnie Kistenmacher, Marguerite and Bertha Minderman, May Miller, Olga Hollman, Helen and Irma Stindel, and Messrs: Edgar Miller, Harry Kerkle, Adoph Steckhan, William Bartosch, Messrs. and Mmes. Fred Lutz and Theodore Lutz.

The wedding will take place some time next month.

Mrs. Walliam Rosenberg of the King Apartments, Granite City, Ill., entertained St. Louis guests Sunday afternoon and evening. Those in the party were Misses Marguerite Walsh, Kathryn and Ann Murphy, Gertrude Windau, Julia Cady and Genevieve Kavanagh.

The masquerade ball which was to have been given by the Col. Meuman Women's Relief Corps No. 16, Jan. 19, will be held March 9 at Concordia Hall.

The Goodsonian Literary Club will meet in the lecture room of the King's Highway Presbyterian Church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Margaret McLaughlin, instructor in English, Harris Teachers' College, graduate of the law department of the University of Ohio, who has been admitted to the bar in that State, will address the club. Her subject will be "Some Tendencies of Modern Poetry."

Frank E. Schenk, a member of the U. S. cavalry stationed at Panama, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Schenk, 2973 Easton avenue. This is his first visit home in three years.

Miss Agnes McGill of the Heldar Apartments will entertain this afternoon with a luncheon and 500 party in honor of her classmates of St. Alphonsus High School.

The regular meeting of the Booster Patriotic Club will be held at the home of the president, Mrs. F. W. Baumhoff, 3501 Victor street, tomorrow afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. H. C. Oyler, Mrs. Gus Schenk and Mrs. L. C. Hermann are the captains of the club teams working for the R. R. Y. M. C. A. hut.

Mrs. Billy Hallett of Kansas City is visiting Mrs. H. Jones and her sister, Mrs. Pohl, of 1902 North Sarah street.

A farewell party was given last week in honor of Corp. John B. La Breque of Company K, 138th Infantry, Camp Doniphan, at the home of his mother, Mrs. J. B. La Breque, 1027 Graham street. Those present were: Corp. James Brady, Max Moll, Laurence and Richard Hall, Harry White Jr., Misses Mary Burns, Edna Aubert, Olive La Breque, Sophie Laner, Harriett Hall, Lucille Mathews, Florence Hall; Messrs. and Mmes. H. B. White, George White, William Matthews, George Hall, Oscar Hall; Mrs. L. Long.

Mrs. Lewellyn Roberts of 133 West Clinton street, Kirkwood, entertained the Intermediate Choir of the Kirkwood Methodist Church Tuesday evening.

The Society of Colonial Daughters will hold its regular meeting Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. J. M. Long, 4922 McPherson avenue. Mrs. Edward Schaaf of St. Marys, Mo., who is the State regent, will preside.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Wolff entertained in honor of the eighteenth birthday of their daughter, Miss Sadie Wolff, at their home, 2209 South Broadway, Saturday evening. Those present were: Misses Blanch Cohen, Hazel Simpsky, Gertrude Leiderman, Rose Baum, Tillie Goldstein, Sadie Kligman, Mollie Goffstein, Sara Applebaum, Sara Sakowsky, Ray Stone, Dora Wolff, Ethel Wolff, Minnie and Esther White, Tillie Evans, Deborah Bearman, Geanette Beiver, Messrs. Isadore and Sam Wolff, Herman Sparber, Al Feldman, Ben Brodsky, Morris Stone, Samuel White, Ben Seltzer, Michael Shanfeld, Isadore Goffstein, Morris Sapot, Joseph Seallets, Robert Rubenstein, Maxwell Hutkin, Walter Lewis, Bert Harris, and Morris Epstein.

Mrs. Ernst McKeown, a recent bride, formerly Miss Doris Pincott, of 4519A Cote Brilliante avenue, was the honoree of a surprise party and shower event at her sister's home, 1803 North Taylor avenue. Mr. McKeown is now serving in the U. S. army in Newport News, Va. Those present were Misses Catherine Walsh, Irene Whitmann, Rose Ellrick, Elizabeth Corrigan, Violet Jass, Geraldine Huber, Helen Koing, Alice Rose; Messrs. A. C. Parker, Ivan Brunswick, Jos. L. Rohling, R. E. Burke, R. Rose, W. H. Coold; Messrs. and Mmes. William Pincott, William Ketts and daughter Dolly, William Casey, C. E. Spilmann, C. B. Stahlberger, J. M. Keets and sons, Burdett and Joseph; C. L. Keets and daughter, Corinne; L. J. Shea, A. B. Nearsche.

Mrs. James P. Quarles of Ithaca, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. Fred Sultan of 6151 Kingsbury boulevard. Mr. and Mrs. Quarles formerly resided in St. Louis and were well known in musical circles.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Karrick of 4503 McPherson avenue are entertaining their son, Dan H. McCole, who arrived Friday on a seven-day furlough from Camp Doniphan, where he is a member of headquarters company of the 138th Infantry.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Genez will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary today at their residence, 1319 Clinton street. Mr. and Mrs. Genez have three children living, Adolph, Edward L. of Chicago and Mrs. Louise Siedler and one grandchild, Ottilia Genez, who will assist in the celebration. Mr. and Mrs. Genez were married at Mascoutah, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Zachritz of 4323 Shaw avenue are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a son. Mrs. Zachritz was Miss Evelyn Hickel before her marriage.

Mrs. J. F. Murphy of 5339 Maple avenue will depart Thursday for a few days' visit with her son, Frank Murphy, who is in the Officers' Reserve training camp at Camp Doniphan.

The marriage of Miss Ruth Madison, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Madison of 1901 Blair avenue, and Harle E. Bather of the 138th Infantry at Camp Doniphan, took place Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock at St. John's Methodist Episcopal Church, the Rev. Dr. John A. Rice

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officiating. The wedding plans were hurried, as the bridegroom is here on a short furlough. Only the relatives and a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony and were present at the wedding dinner which followed. Miss Anita Benzel, Marie Boehmer and Laura M. Hoffmann attended the bride. Mr. Bather will depart today to rejoin his regiment.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Ghiselin of 4001 Washington boulevard are rejoicing over the arrival of a son, who will be named Robert Sidney Ghiselin Jr. Mrs. Ghiselin was formerly Miss Annabelle Clark.

Mrs. Theodore Shelton, State President of the Daughters of 1812, will give a patriotic luncheon at the Women's Club on Thursday. The State Board will be the guests of honor.

Miss Maude O'Donnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell, of 5015 Raymond avenue left Mission, Tex., last Tuesday, where she has been visiting friends for the last few weeks, and is now in San Antonio, a guest of Mrs. R. R. Irwin, of Laurel Heights.

Miss Ethel Philbrick of 3632 Lafayette avenue entertained Wednesday evening for Robert Dobson of Winnipeg, Canada. The party attended the theater, after which a supper was served. Mr. Dobson is on leave from the Canadian army and has been a guest of Mrs. Ez A. Booker of 1635 South Grand avenue for the last five weeks. He has departed for a two months stay in Arizona but expects to return to St. Louis.

The Monroe Parent Teachers' Association will hold its semi-annual reception in Monroe kindergarten on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Popular Players were entertained at the home of Mrs. Emma Frank, 2313 North Market street, on Saturday evening, with a card party and dance. Those present were Messrs. and Mmes. Harry Silverstone, William Miller. Messrs. Ned Wolcott, Richard Miller, George and James F. Weinmann, A. Weinmann, Mmes. J. Goevees, Julia Wright, E. Frank. Misses Edna Frank, Estella Brown, Ruth Wright.

Mrs. Martin J. Reilly of 2905 North Grand avenue, has departed for Norfolk, Va., where she will join her husband, who is an officer in the United States army, and will sail for France soon. Mrs. Reilly is a bride of two months and was formerly Miss Marie Bostian. She will visit New York and Pittsburg before returning home.

The Missouri Society, Daughters of 1812, has received from Gorhams the bronze memorial tablet to Missouri Pioneers which will be unveiled at the Jefferson Memorial the latter part of March. Mrs. Theodore Shelton, State president, and Mrs. Frank de Garmo, chairman of Tablet Committee, are arranging for the unveiling ceremonies.

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A benefit lecture is to be delivered this evening at St. Rose's Hall, Goodfellow and Etzel avenues. Rev. Joseph Gunn, C. S. S. R., will talk on "The Church." The All Saints' Church will occupy temporary quarters at Hodiamont and Maple avenues beginning Monday morning.

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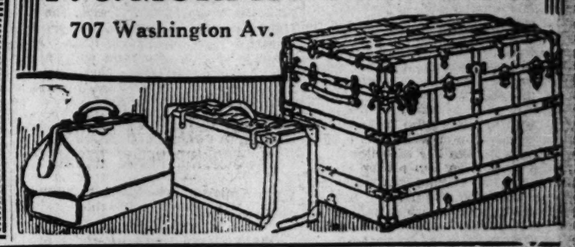
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The Best $25 Suits in St. Louis!

Because so many women prefer to pay $25 for their first Spring Suit, we set ourselves the task of providing the utmost in style and value at this price. We have prepared a showing of which any store might well be proud, and one that will delight all who wish to limit the price but not their tastes.

Strictly tailored models, others with fancy pockets, button and braid trimmings; new double breasted jackets; ripple and pleated effects—each model reflecting some particular style idea that fashion has sponsored for this season; in new Spring shades, navy and black.

Serges, Checked Velours, Gabardines, Black and White Checks, Poplins

Third Floor.



New Spring Dresses--*at Reduced Prices!*

We Over Estimated the Demand—Now Stocks Must Be Reduced—865 Higher Priced Dresses in Two Groups

Dresses of navy serge and of taffeta—two of the season's most favored fabrics—as well as beautiful Georgette combinations. Just think of buying Spring Dresses right at the beginning of the season at a reduced price. Nothing we could say would cause you to imagine this sale to be of more importance than it really is.

$11.50

The new tailored styles in serge, Dresses of taffeta, of crepe de chine and Georgette combinations; scores of different styles and effects. If you have had in mind paying $15 for your Spring Dress, attend this sale and profit. You will be delighted to get a much better dress than you had ever expected to get at this price.

(Fourth Floor.)

$15.00

In the Balcony Boot Shop



Sale of New Boots at $5.75

Boots of light colored field mouse kid with fabric tops to match; dainty leather heel and medium-weight sole; a very special value.

Oxfords, $4.50

--Special!

Mahogany calf Oxfords with medium heels and flexible soles; ideal for walking; on sale Monday at this special price.



Hats That Set the Style

--"Gage" Models
--Reproduction of Paris Modes
--Clever Originations

$10 to $25

Early season Hats of emphatic charm. Models of shiny straw artistically trimmed with highly polished ribbons, lacquered quills, lustrous wings and new flowers. The latest edicts of style authorities are here in abundance.

Second Floor.

MUSICAL COMEDY AND MINSTRELS THIS WEEK

"Rambler Rose" Vehicle for Julia Sanderson and Joseph Cawthorn.

After a week monopolized by classical drama under the leadership of Robert B. Mantell, the theater resumes its function of light entertainment tonight with a musical comedy at the American Theater and a minstrel show at the Jefferson. The former is "Rambler Rose," presenting Miss Julia Sanderson and Joseph Cawthorn, and the latter is a Gus Hill blackface offering, headed by George Wilson.

"Rambler Rose," with book by Harry B. Smith and music by Victor Jacobi, tells the story of an American girl, immured in a fashionable girls' school in England, who rebels against the matrimonial plans arranged for her by others, and follows to Paris and Deauville a young artist upon whom she has set her heart, with the aim of compelling him to propose. She, in turn, is followed by a bashful suitor who turns horseman, poet, sculptor and "sport" in a vain effort to win her affections.

Miss Sanderson has plenty of opportunity for singing and dancing, and in the latter her partner is John Goldsworth. Cawthorn is said to be extremely funny as the diffident wooer, and to him falls the most comical song of them all, an interpolated number by Irving Berlin, entitled "The Poor Little Rich Girl's Dog." Others in the cast are Ada Meade, Stewart Baird, George E. Mack, Jean Newcombe, W. H. Bentley, Ethel Boyd and Doris Predo. The play is a Charles Frohman production.

The "Ziegfeld Follies" will open at the American next Sunday night, with 150 in the cast and the usual sumptuous settings. Among the familiar entertainers will be Will Rogers, Bert Williams and Miss Fannie Brice.

The minstrel show at the Jefferson boasts 60 performers, two interlocutors and two brass bands. George Wilson was formerly a partner of Primrose & Dockstader, and prior to his engagement with this troupe had a long and successful engagement at the Hippodrome in New York City.

Another burnt-cork favorite in the company is Eddie Mazier. It is promised that the entertainment will be of the old-fashioned minstrel sort.

"Thirteenth Chair" Returns.

"The Thirteenth Chair," Bayard Veiller's thrilling melodrama, will play a return engagement at the Jefferson, beginning next Sunday night. The drama was presented at the Shubert-Garrick Theater a few weeks ago, but had a collision with a blizzard which cut down the attendance.

At the Orpheum this week Nan Halperin, impersonator and character singer, who was headliner of the bill which opened this theater at the beginning of the present season, will return in a new sketch by William B. Friedlander. Among the other acts will be a playlet, "The Question," by Aaron Hoffman, presenting Sam Mann in a character role; "The Four Mortons," introducing two new members of this stage family; a program of dances, under the name of "Five Foot Fancies," by Lester Sheehan and Pearl Regay, and the usual comedy and acrobatic features.

At the Imperial, beginning with a matinee this afternoon, J. M. Busby's Minstrels, with a cast of negro entertainers, will disport themselves this week. One feature is a burlesque boxing match between "Joe Gans" and "Tham Langford." A Chicago Winter Garden Revue, led by Billy and Edith Adams, and the Belle sisters will be the topliner at the Columbia. The second attraction on the list is a one-act playlet by the late Paul Armstrong, entitled "To Save One Girl." "Flirtation," a musical satire on college life, will hold the stage at the Grand Opera House during the week, featuring Dorothy Van and Frank Ellis. At the Gayety this afternoon will open Joe Hurtig's "Bowery Burlesquers, headed by Billy Foster and Frank Harcourt.

WOMEN'S VOLUNTEER MOTOR SERVICE NEEDS RECRUITS

Work Consists Principally in Delivering Supplies for the Red Cross.

One hundred more members are needed for the Women's Volunteer Motor Service in St. Louis.

Only women who have a motor car at their disposal and who are able to drive it are wanted. There is a regulation uniform which the women are permitted, but not compelled, to wear. An arm band and a motor tag must be worn while on duty.

The work consists principally in doing errands for the Red Cross, delivering supplies and taking the social workers to visit the homes of soldiers. The office of the committee is at room 1633 Railway Exchange Building.

GEN. CLARK TO SPEAK TUESDAY

Mrs. Carl O. Houseman, president of the Relatives' Auxiliary of the St. Louis National Guard, has called a special meeting of the auxiliary for Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the large gymnasium of the Y. W. C. A., 1411 Locust street, to hear an address by Adjutant-General Harvey C. Clark, formerly Brigadier-General of the Missouri National Guard. This will take the place of the regular monthly meting on Thursday afternoon.

A business session will be held before Gen. Clark's speech, beginning at 3 o'clock. Gen. Clark will speak at 4 o'clock on "What the National Guard Has Meant to America in This War." The meeting is open to all who are interested.

On Sale Now

Our Stocks of Used Pianos and Players at Quick Clearance Prices



Beautiful Bargains—Excellent Selection of Pianos taken in exchange for Autopianos.

Pianos of almost every make well known to you are here. Overhauled and repaired in our shops, these instruments will serve you like new pianos.

UPRIGHT PIANOS		UPRIGHT PIANOS	
Estey	$ 50	Kingsbury	$ 45
Smith & Barnes	60	Wing & Son	50
Sterling	65	Weser Bros.	55
Hoewood	75	Milton	65
Fischer	80	Bradbury	90
Vose	85	Kimball	115
Bradbury	90	Kimball	120
Huntington	95	Lauter	125
Everett	100	Hazelton	135
Palmer	105	Knabe	145

GRAND PIANOS		PLAYER PIANOS	
Chickering	$100	Ellington	$145
Steinway	175	Krell	245
Kimball	250	Autopiano	365
Sohmer	300	Autopiano	395
Knabe	325	Angelus	395

New Player-Pianos, $395

These instruments have been priced so low that they are sure to be moved quickly.

We assure you here is an opportunity to save money and still obtain a dependable piano that will give you years of satisfactory service.

Very Easy Terms

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Charge Purchases Monday Will A

Stix, Baer & Fuller March S

Some More News in Today's Globe

It contains the story of other events of equal importance to those mentioned in these columns. Among them:

February Lace Sale
February Silk Sale
Women's Suits, $49.75
A Linen Sale
Sale of Wash Fabrics

It is worth your while to look up these events.

Bifocal Glasses

—overcome the need of separate pairs, and relieve one of the annoyance of changing glasses.



Our method of prescribing, grinding and testing bifocal lenses, is correct and satisfactory. We make them in both Kryptok and cemented styles, and our prices are very reasonable.

Lenses at from $2.00 up, depending upon the kind required. There is no extra cost for testing.

(Main Floor.)



AFTER months of preparation, the March Curtain Sale is now ready with the best offerings it has been tunity to give in many years. We arranged with America's leading makers and some importers, to ge lots of their Curtains, at liberal discounts, which are shared with our patrons.

At $1.40 Pair

Filet Lace Edge and Filet Scalloped Curtains, as well as lace-border Marquisette and Scrim. Mostly in ivory and ecru tones.

At $2.95 Pair

Irish Point Lace Curtains, in ivory and ecru colors.

Handmade Cluny Lace Curtains, with insertion and edge, in ecru only.

At $3.95 Pair

Handmade Cluny Curtains, with wide lace insertion and edge, mounted on cable net body, also Irish Point Curtains. White or ecru.

Curtain

Marquise

Fancy patterns that a low price. They are in tofore have sold at conside

Filet Curtai

White, ivory and Egyp inches wide.

Curtain N

72-inch Nets, particular ruffle-edge Curtains, as w to require no seams. Show

Drapery Cretonnes at 25c Yard

Hundreds and hundreds of yards of the better grade Cretonnes, including Linenized and many other kinds not often found at such a low price. These are patterns that have been dropped from regular lines, which accounts for the wonderfully low price.

The March Sale of Rugs S

Axminster Rugs

Handsome Rugs for small rooms or reception halls, Persian and small allover designs, and in beautiful color effects, this sale, $16.75

Wiltana Velvet Rugs

Also Luzerne and Passaic makes, all in seamless style, scores of beautiful designs and colorings; 9x12-ft size, at $25.50

Axminster Rugs

Sanford's seamless style Ru in Oriental patterns, 9x12-ft. si in many harmonious colorings and rare values at this sale price, $31.5

Room-Size Rugs

8.3x10.6-in. Axminster Rugs—pretty colorings and designs, at $25.00
9x12-ft. Axminster Rugs—Bigelow, Roxbury and Seneca makes, $33.00
4.6x6.6 Axminster Rugs, Sanford's Beauvais, Bigelow, Hartford, $10.50
8.3x10.6 Velvet Rugs—Luzerne, seamless, special at $31.00
6x9-ft. Brussels Rugs—seamless pattern, at $12.75

4-Yard-Wide Linoleum

Genuine Cork Linoleum, in complete range of patterns, cov ing the average room without a seam, and in this sale at, square yard..... 5 (No measurements taken.)

Women's Sample Dresses

A Very Special Sale at

$19.75



WE offer for Monday's selling a wonderful group of 50 Sample Dresses at an extremely low price—and we urge our customers to come early in order to share in this unusual opportunity. These are in

Foulards *Serges*
Taffetas *Satins*

They are in navy, black, checked silk ginghams, tan and Copenhagen.

The size range will be most complete when the sale begins Monday at 8:30.

The values are exceptional.

(Third Floor.)

An Invitation to St. Louis Women to Be Present at the Opening of the Second Session of

Mrs. Blackburn's Dressmaking School

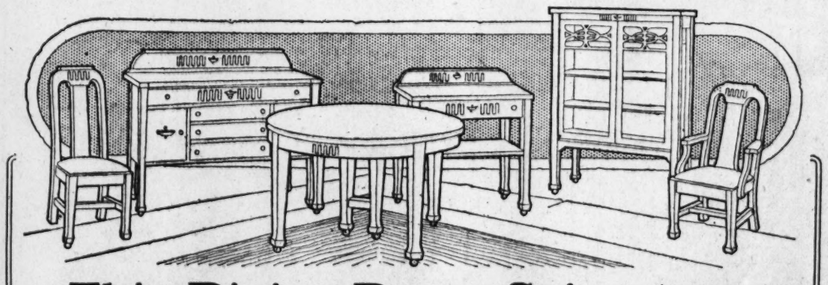


TO acquaint women with the practical nature of Mrs. Blackburn's Dressmaking School, we extend an invitation to be present at the first lesson of the new class, which begins Monday, February 25, at 10 a. m., or 2 p. m.

This dressmaking course gained instant favor with Saint Louis women, and we persuaded Mrs. Blackburn to remain for another five weeks' course. It is a splendid opportunity to learn how to sew in a practical and economical way.

If, after hearing the course outlined, you care to enroll, the full course of 15 lessons is only $1.00.

(Fifth Floor—Annex.)



This Dining-Room Suite $129.75

Is the Climax of Value-Giving in the February Furniture Sale at

THE price maintains only for one day—Monday—and is named as a fitting climax to the final days of this great annual occasion.

The Suite is of mahogany throughout, and is as shown in the above illustration. In dull rubbed finish, and the Chairs are upholstered in blue leather. If China Closet as shown is desired, add $33.00 to the price.

Other Items in Furniture of Particular Interest

3-piece Pullman Davenette Suite, in oak or mahogany—special, $56.00

3-piece Cathedral Oak Living Room Suite, tapestry upholstering, $23.95

9-piece American walnut Queen Anne Dining-Room Suite, $149.75

EASY PAYMENTS are made possible through our Club plan of Furniture selling.

(Sixth Floor.)

A Bargain Bulletin Fro

1500 Men's Shirts

On Sale Monday, 79c



THIS is a Shirt opportunity not to be encountered every day, for the Shirts are of good quality percale, in fast colors, and in desirable patterns.

There are soft and laundered cuff styles, in sizes from 14 to 17.

Three for $2.25

Men's Collars, 12½c Each

Well-known brand of four-ply Collars, in all sizes. There are twelve styles—some of them shown in quarter sizes.

(Downstairs Store and Sixth St. Highway, Main Floor.)

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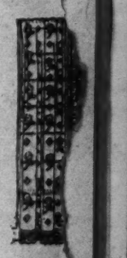
WE have just received over 800 pairs of th durable yarns, in plain cen with pretty lace edges, in specially priced lots—

$1.39 ar

Scrim Curtains

About 285 pairs of fine quality Scrims, with 2½-inch Filet lace insertion, shown in white only,

At, pair, 79c



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Axminster and

HIGH-GRADE Axminsters an allover patterns, 9x12-ft.

Brussels Rugs, $12.9

Wool-faced, 9x12-ft. size, dallion and allover patterns, green, tan and brown co Slightly shaded.

Rug Samples, $1.49

Sample sections of Royal ton Rugs, size 27x45 inches— Body Brussels samples, mea ing 27x54 inches.

Hosiery

WOMEN'S medium-weight Cotton Stockings, in black or white; seconds; at 19c

MEN'S Fiber Silk Hose; black or white; seconds; pair, 15c

CHILDREN'S Stockings, black or white—fine gauge cotton; sizes 5 to 9½; slight seconds; pair, 19c

Knitwear

WOMEN'S Union Suits; low neck, sleeveless, lace knee; regular and extra sizes; at 39c

WOMEN'S Vests; fine Swiss ribbed; sleeveless; full size; at 12½c

WOMEN'S Vests, of lisle or silk-and-cotton, sleeveless style; taped; seconds; at 19c

Laces and Embroideries

SEVERAL thousand yards of them, including Swiss, Cambric and Nainsook, in various widths up to 10 inches.

They are cleverly embroidered in attractive designs, there being Bands, Beading and Insertions. Also Cluny Laces in matched sets, Linen Lace Edges and Insertions, Val. Laces and Venise Laces; the yard..... 10c

A most unusual assortment and remarkable values.

(Downstairs Store.)

Noteworthy Sales of Women's Clever New Spring Suits



Two Styles at $19.75

at $19.75

SMART new ideas in tailored and modified bustle Suits, as well as the jaunty Norfolk and trimmed semi-tailored modes, are shown in

American wool poplin and all-wool French serge, in the modish shades of Quaker, Pekin, green, navy, taupe, tan and black.

Many are peau de cygne lined, and there are all sizes for women and misses.



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Seconds at...

The maker (or the imperfection missing button spot. Of voile, tailored or lace

Crepe de C

New styles chine, heavy Je voile, in white and light blue.

New Silk Skirts, $4.98

Heavy taffeta, plaid and striped patterns, also poplins and serge, in navy, black and plaids. Women's and misses.

Middy Blouses, $1.00

Less than cost of materials for these Marine Middies, in Copenhagen or white with red or blue collars, emblem on sleeves and pockets. Sizes 6 to 18 and 36 to 44.

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GRAND-LEADER

SIXTH-WASHINGTON-SEVENTH & LUCAS

n Statements Rendered April 1st.

ales of Curtains, Rugs Etc.

MORE than a value-giving event, the March Sales are an exposition of the newest creations in Curtains but with attendant savings, that make it worth the while of every home manager to fill Curtain needs now. Hundreds of artistic patterns in Curtains for any room.

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At $4.85 Pair
Handmade Lacet Arabian Curtains and Swiss-made Irish Point Curtains, in dainty designs. Very extraordinary value.

At $6.90 Pair
Handmade Arabian Lace Curtains, with elaborate borders, mounted on best cable net, suitable for the best rooms in the home.

At $8.85 Pair
Fancy Filet, with embroidered motifs—also handmade Lacet Curtains, in a wide array of exquisite patterns.

Reversible Velour Portieres, $10.85
Just a limited number of pairs. Velour on one side with contrasting color poplin on the reverse. Many most popular color combinations are included, such as blue, mulberry, green, rose, brown and gold.
(Fourth Floor.)



New Value Standards

ody Brussels Rugs
s that are noted for the long atisfactory service that they give. 9x12-ft. room size, and n in various allover patin pleasing s, special, $36.00

Royal Wilton Rugs
Bigelow, Art Loom and other beautiful 9x12-ft. Rugs. Many with linen fringe on ends, seamed or seamless, in Persian designs, $45.00

Roubaix Rugs
Art Loom, Roubaix and Chaumont Chenille Rugs, seamless, in plain shades of gray, taupe, blue, rose and green, band border and chintz effects, $60.00

Inlaid Linoleum
rdwood, block and tile patn, extra heavy weight, and in pleasing color inations; special quare yard..... 89c
o measurements taken.

Extra Size Rugs
11.3x12 Bigelow, Hartford, Turkana Axminsters and Velvets, $44.75
11.3x12 Axminsters, soft nap and luxurious colors, at $32.50
11.3x13.6 Empire Seamless Brussels Rugs, many designs, $37.50
11.3x12 Seamless Brussels Rugs, all-wool face, at $24.75
(Fourth Floor.)

Tickets on Sale Here for
Julia Sanderson—American.
Gus Hill's Minstrels—Jefferson.
Superior Vaudeville—Orpheum.
Marie Ruemmeli, Piano Recital—Sheldon Memorial, Thursday, February 28th.
Concert for Red Cross—Sheldon Memorial, Thursday, March 7th.
(Ticket Office—Main Floor.)

Wall Papers
For Spring
NEW patterns in profusion, and values that will permit liberal buying. Papers in light and medium shades, floral and striped designs, special at, roll, 3½c

Some Plain Oatmeal Papers, in colors, 30 in. wide; roll, 10c
30-in. Picture Borders, for use above plate rails in dining rooms; the yard, 40c
Plain Grass Cloth and other cloth imitations, large selection at, roll, 18c
We furnish paper hangers who do satisfactory work at reasonable charge. (Fourth Floor.)

the Downstairs Store

Curtains
press for our March Sale, esirable Curtains made of nd allover effects, finished te, ivory and ecru, in two

69 Pair

Window Shades
Offering 80 dozen Shades, in white or green, 36 inches wide and full length. They are all perfect and come complete with cord and fixtures. The lot will not last long at this remarkably low price of, each, 29c

e Offers
et Rugs, $19.95
ss Velvet Rugs, in Oriental and me with minor imperfections.

Congoleum Rugs, $8.70
ne-piece Art Rugs, 9x12-ft. in light or dark shades, with or imperfections.

Rug Sections, $2.39
uarter sections and samples of 2-ft. Brussels Rugs, with fin- edges, measuring 4 ft. 6 in. 3 ft.
(Downstairs Store.)

Children's Spring Coats
A LITTLE army of them—all new modes—has arrived. There are single and double breasted styles, trimmed with belts, pockets and large collars, and shown in plaids, stripes and black-and-white checks. Sizes 2 to 6 years at $2.98



Children's Coats of cotton pongee, in natural color, with large collars and belts of rose or blue ratine—also cotton serge in black-and-white checks—2 to 6 year sizes, $1.50

Boys' Coats, black-and-white checks and navy serge—2 to 6 sizes, $2.98, $3.98 and $4.98
(Downstairs Store.)

Staple Cotton Goods
Bleached Sheets, $1.00
Readymade, seamless Sheets, 81x90 inches. Buying limit of 6 to customer.

Pillowcases, Each, 28c
Pepperell readymade bleached Cases, 45x36 inches.

Crash Toweling, 15c Yard
Bleached linen-mixed Roller Toweling, 17 inches wide—fast color border.

Dress Voiles, 19c Yd.
Fine, sheer, soft-finished Voiles—39 inches wide.

Bedspreads, $1.25, $1.39 and $1.69
About 160—double-bed size—of heavy white crochet—subject to slight imperfections.

Robe Cloth, 39c Yard
Blue, gray and brown colors, in woven patterns—some Indian designs.

Bed Comforts, $2.69
Filled with cotton and covered with fancy silkoline, in light colors—size 72x78 inches.

3 O'clock Special
Bleached mercerized
Table Damask
In good range of patterns—2 yards wide—special at, yard, 49c
(Downstairs Store.)

These 100-Piece Dinner Sets
Will Quickly Go at $12.50
IF we had to buy these in the market today, the price would be several dollars more than $12.50. The decoration is effective pink spray, with gold lining, and the dinnerware is modeled on banquet shape, of American semi-porcelain. Set includes:

12 Dinner Plates, 12 Salad Plates, 12 Bread and Butter Plates, 12 Coupe Soups, 12 Fruit Saucers, 12 Cups, 12 Saucers, 1 Sugar, 2 Meat Dishes, 1 Baker, 1 Cov'd Dish, 1 Casserole, 1 Sauce Boat, 1 Butter Dish, 1 Pickle, 1 Cream



100-Pc. Dinner Sets, $17.50
American semi-porcelain, black medallion with pink rosebud decoration, finished with gold lines, modeled on fancy shape.

100-Pc. Dinner Sets, $43.50
French china, in conventional border, half mat gold handles. Plain shape.

Cups and Saucers, 89c
Thin quality Japanese china. Floral patterns.

100-Pc. Dinner Sets, $24.50
Fine quality Japanese china, in pretty floral border decoration, on plain shape.

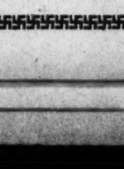
112-Pc. Dinner Sets, $32.50
English semi-porcelain, cobalt blue band, mat gold lined and mat gold handles. (Fifth Floor.)

Thrift Chances in Housewares
The final days of the February Housewares Sale are rich in saving opportunities in the household utilities for which there is some need in every home.

Teakettle Combinations, $2.69

Each vessel may be used separately. Made of heavy gauge aluminum, with double boiler insert.

Fireless Cookers, $17.50
"Duplex," all-steel casing, aluminum lining, two deep wells. Soapstone heating discs and aluminum cooking vessels.



Bread Boxes
Enameled or black japanned finish rounded corners: Small, 79c; medium, 95c; large, $1.25.

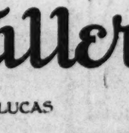
Family Scales, $1.79
Black japanned—weigh articles up to 24 pounds—with scoop.

Electric Irons, $2.19

Nickelplated, full 6-pound size, with cord and plug, ready to attach to any lamp socket. Element guaranteed for one year.

Washing Machines, $11.95
"S. B. & F. Special," with brass cylinder motors; guaranteed for one year.

Crystal White Laundry Soap 10 Bars, 46c
Limit of 10 bars to customer. No mail or phone orders.

O-Cedar Mops, 89c

The genuine "Battleship," new style, triangle shape, specially priced for Monday, 89c

Absorine, 3 for 25c
Wall Paper Cleaner—the most satisfactory kind to be had.

H. R. H. Paint Cleaner 3 for 25c
A well-known cleaner, with which woodwork, etc., can be easily cleaned.

"Grand-Leader" Paints
Ready mixed, ground in oil:
1-qt. size, 60c
½-gal. size, $1.10
1-gal. size, $1.95

(Fifth Floor.)

Sale of Sewing Machines

New Willard, $28.50

Free, $32.50

AN event that offers some rebuilt ones and trade-ins, as well as many new ones still in their original crates, and all at exceptionally low prices.

New Home, $29.85
Domestic Vibrator, $35.00
Domestic Cabinet, $37.00

Every Machine is backed by a positive guarantee of satisfaction, and sold on easy payment plan of
$1.00 First Payment, and $1.00 Per Week

Box-Top Sewing Machines
that have been traded in on new machines, overhauled and put in good working order; special at $3.50
(Fifth Floor.)

White, $26.75

Singer, $24.50

Misses' Spring Outer Apparel
Jaunty New Spring Coats
at $10 and $15

MANY modes that are copies from high-class garments, and which interpret the high fashion ideas. There are high waist styles, others gathered at waist, are variously trimmed with collars of silk or self-material, with large pockets and belts.

Materials are wool poplin, plaids, checks and wool serge, diagonal cheviots and velours, in Pekin, Quaker, tan, rookie, navy and black. Women's, misses' and juniors' sizes.

Waists
8c
"seconds," but mes consist of spot or oiled broidery, plain Sizes to 46.
aists, $1.88
s. of crepe de silk and fine e, flesh, maize

White Dresses at $1.98
Peter Thompson effect, of white galatea, navy collar and emblem on sleeve, side lacing, front and back panel skirt. Sizes 13, 15, 17 and 19.

Girls' Dresses, $1.98 & $2.98
White garments, of organdie and embroidery flounce, trimmed with lace, ribbon. Sizes 6 to 14.
(Downstairs Store.)

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PERSON FOR EVERY JOB, SAYS FEDERAL EXPERT

W. R. King Tells St. Charles War Conference There Is No Shortage of Labor.

"Given satisfactory wages, satisfactory working conditions and satisfactory living conditions and there is no difficulty whatever in finding plenty of men and women for every job," said W. R. King, United States Department of Labor, immigration service, St Louis district, yesterday at St. Charles County War Conference, held under the auspices of the St. Charles Chamber of Commerce and the St. Charles County Council of Defense.

King, in his address on "Labor," pointed out that the Federal and State Employment Bureau in St. Louis, a joint service, has been able to furnish many times more than the number called for, provided satisfactory working conditions are offered. The speaker showed how, through the Postoffice and other agencies, the Employment Bureau is helping the farmer and other employers get men, always putting stress on the fact that good working conditions are necessary to secure laborers.

T. J. Talbert, Assistant Food Administrator of Missouri, discussed the food situation and Dr. John L. Roemer, president of Lindenwood College, talked on "Patriotism."

X. P. Wilfley, Election Commissioner of St. Louis, spoke on the fuel situation, while A. O. Wilson, president State National Bank of St. Louis, discussed "Finance." Mrs. Edmund Brown, director of women's work, Southwestern Division American Red Cross Society, outlined that organization's work. J. C. Willibrand, chairman of the St. Charles County Council of Defense, presided at the conference attended by several hundred people from St. Charles and St. Charles County. Mayor John H. Steinbrinker spoke a word of welcome for the city.

English Aviator Killed in Texas.
FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—James G. Ringland, aged 27, Royal Flying Corps, is dead, and another royal flier, whose name could not be learned, was injured as a result of a collision between two airplanes near Benbrook Field yesterday. Ringland's home was Dover, England. The planes collided at an altitude of about 1000 feet.

AMERICAN PROGRAM AT SYMPHONY 'POP' TODAY

Miss Gladys Stevenson of Webster Groves, Pianist, Is Soloist.

The Symphony Orchestra will observe Washington's birthday at its "pop" concert this afternoon by presenting a program every number of which, save one, is by an American composer. Two of the authors represented are St. Louisans, Ernest R. Kroeger and John T. Hall.

The soloist will be Miss Gladys Stevenson of Webster Groves, a young pianiste just out of high school, in whom Mrs. H. H. A. Beach, the celebrated composer and pianiste, has shown much interest. Miss Stevenson is a descendant of a signer of the Declaration of Independence. She has received all of her instruction from her mother, Mrs. Mary Bakewell Stevenson.

One selection on the program is the third movement of Henry Hadley's symphony, "North, East, South and West," which was played for the first time here at a recent pair of regular Symphony concerts. Kroeger's contribution is the suite, "Lalla Rookh," and Hall's is the waltz, "Wedding of the Winds." The program follows:

March, Louisiana.....Van der Stucken
Prelude to The Delectable Forest..Ballantine
Symphony No. 4, D Minor, Op. 96 (North, East, South and West) third movement only.....Hadley
South, scherzo; allegretto giocoso.
Concerto for piano, No. 4, D Minor, Op. 70 (first movement only), moderato—Rubenstein
Suite Lalla Rookh.....Kroeger
Cavalcade, Dance of the Girls of the Pergoda, Wedding Festival.
Waltz, Wedding of the Winds.....J. T. Hall

There will be no Friday and Saturday concerts this week, and the next event in the orchestra's program is the "pop" of next Sunday, when a request program will be presented.

Eddy Brown, American violinist, engaged to fill the place left vacant by Julia Culp, soprano, will be heard at the next pair of Symphony concerts, March 8 and 9.

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FORMER AMBASSADOR GIRARDS NEW BOOK ON KAISERISM

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the Seven Years War concludes, 'The King and the Empress were tired of war, so they made peace.' That is how this war will end." Will it? Will it end in a draw, to be resumed when some King feels the war fever on him? No, this war must end despots, and with them all wars!

It is all such a matter of personal whim. For instance, before Bulgaria entered the war on the side of Germany, even the best-informed Germans predicted that King Ferdinand would never join Germany because of an incident which occurred in the Royal Palace of Berlin. This is how it happened:

Kaiser Angered Bulgarian Czar by Spanking Him in Jest.

It is the custom for one monarch to make his pals in the King business officers of his army or navy. Thus the German Emperor is General Field Marshal and Proprietor of the Thirty-fourth "William the First, German Emperor and King of Prussia" Infantry and Seventh "William the Second, German Emperor and King of Prussia" Hussars, in the Austro-Hungarian army; Chief of the "King Frederick William III St. Petersburg Life Guards," the Eighty-fifth "Viburg" Infantry and the Thirteenth "Narva" Hussars, and the "Grodno" Hussars of the Guard, in the Russian army; Field Marshal in the British army, Hon. Admiral of the British fleet and Colonel-in-Chief First Dragoons; General in the Swedish army and Flag Admiral of the fleet; Hon. Admiral of the Norwegian and Danish fleet; Admiral of the Russian fleet; Hon. Captain-General in the Spanish army and Hon. Colonel of the Eleventh "Numancia" Spanish Dragoons, and Hon. Admiral of the Greek fleet.

The King of Bulgaria was Chief of the Fourth Thuringia Infantry Regiment No. 72, in the Prussian army. As per custom, on a visit to Berlin he donned his uniform of the Thuringian Infantry. He had put on a little weight, and military unmentionables, be it known, are notoriously tight. So as he leaned far out of the palace window to admire the passing troops, he presented a mark so tempting that the Emperor, in jovial mood, was impelled to administer a resounding spank on the sacred seat of the Czar of all the Balkans. Instead of taking the slap in the same jovial spirit in which it was given, the Czar Ferdinand, a little jealous of the self-assumed title of Czar, became furiously angry—so angry that even the old diplomats of the Metternich school believed for a time that he never would forgive the whack and even might refuse to join Germany. But Czar Ferdinand, believing in the military power of Germany, cast his already war-worn people in the war against the allies, much to the regret of many Bulgarian statesmen, who, having been educated at Robert College, near Constantinople, a college founded and maintained by Americans, and having imbibed somewhat of the American spirit there, were not over pleased to think of themselves as eventually arrayed against the United States of America.

But there is no monarch in all Europe who is more wily than Czar Ferdinand. At a great feat in Bulgaria at which Emperor William was present, Czar Ferdinand toasted the Emperor in Latin and alluded to him as "Miles Gloriosus," which all present took to mean "glorious soldier," but the exact Latin meaning of "gloriosus" is "boastful," a meaning well known in Berlin, where, at the "Little Theater" in a series of plays of all ages, the "Miles Gloriosus" of Plautus had just been presented—a boastful, conceited soldier, the "Miles Gloriosus," the chief character of the comedy.

Nothing illustrates more vividly the belief of the royal families of the Central Empires in their God-given right to rule the plain people than those few words of Maximilian, written before his ill-fated expedition to Mexico. Speaking of the Palace at Caserta, near Naples, he wrote:

"The monumental stairway is worthy of majesty. What can be finer than to imagine the sovereign placed at its head, resplendent in the midst of these marble pillars—to fancy this monarch, like a God, graciously permitting the approach of human beings. The crowd surges upward. The King vouchsafes a gracious glance, but from a very lofty elevation. All-powerful, imperial, he makes one step toward them, with a smile of infinite condescension. Could Charles V, could Maria Theresa appear thus at the head of this ascending stair, who would not bow their heads before that majestic, God-given power?"

What was the condition of the people under Maria Theresa, whom Maximilian spoke of as possessing a power that, according to him, was so God-given that no one could fail to bow the head before her majestic presence? The peasants, under her rule, were practically slaves, as they could not leave the lord's lands or even marry without his permission, nor could they bring their children up to any profession other than that of laborer. In other words, the children of the slave must remain slaves.

Poor Maximilian! He was a brother of the late Emperor Francis Joseph and a member of the Kaiserbund and royal system which, while America was busy with domestic difficulties between the North and South, sought to wrest from Mexico her liberty. I wonder if the Mexicans have forgotten the incident and its implications.

But one-man power always fails in the end. No man, King or President, whatever he may himself think, has a brain all powerful and all knowing. There is wisdom in counsel. Too much of some favorite dish may lead to indigestion and that to bad judgment and disaster at a critical time. Napoleon III, just before 1870, was suffering from a wasting disease and so allowed himself to be ruled by the beautiful, narrow, fascinating, foolish Spanish Empress, whom he gave to the French in a moment of passion, because, as she said to him, "The way to her room lay through the church door." Col. Stoffel, the French Military Attache to the Berlin embassy, wrote confidentially report after report to the Emperor telling him of the immense military strength of Prussia and of her readiness for immediate war. But most of these reports were afterward found unopened in the desk of the doting, sick and fallen Emperor.

For, after all, however divine the King, Emperor or Kaiser may consider himself, he is but a vulnerable human being—and no accident of birth should give even a small number of people on this earth into the hands of a single mortal.

(To Be Continued in the Post-Dispatch Tomorrow.)

C. M. STEWART COMMISSIONED IN BRITISH FLYING CORPS

St. Louisan Writes From Oxford, England, That He Expects to Be in France Soon.

Mrs. Josie Stewart of 2530 Montgomery street, has received a letter from her son, C. M. Stewart, stating that he has been commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the British Royal Flying Corps at Queens College, Oxford, England. He said in the letter, which was dated Jan. 26, that he expected to go to France within a week for further training.

There are two Americans in the training school to which he is attached, he said, and both have been given choice of flying squadrons and highly recommended by the commanding officer.

The students are quartered in the dormitories at Oxford University, which he describes as being devoted almost exclusively to the aeronautical school. The day's work begins at 6 a. m. and ends at 11 p. m.

Depth Bombs Killing Big Fish.

BASE AMERICAN FLOTILLA IN BRITISH WATERS, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—Enormous destruction of fish is done by every depth charge dropped by a destroyer. An American destroyer brought home a 10-foot codfish the other day, killed in this way. A week ago a huge fish, at first taken for a specimen of the thresher shark, was washed ashore near the American base. It measured 16 feet in length and its girth around the head where it was thickest was five feet.

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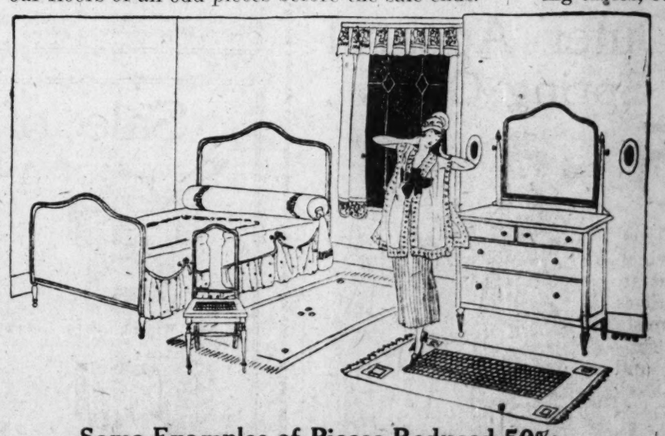
Semi-Annual Sale

Monday — Not all the stocks on the floors are involved. The general savings of this semi-annual sale are from 10% to 40%. But hundreds of pieces of furniture have been marked half price to clear our floors of all odd pieces before the sale ends.

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(Signed)

Harry Prufrock

February 23, 1918.

Rodemich Arrested as Speeder.

Eugene Rodemich, of 5602 Kingsbury court, a cabaret piano player, was arrested yesterday morning on a charge of speeding his machine east on Chouteau avenue, between Compton and Ewing avenues, at 30 miles an hour. He was taken to the Laclede Avenue Station, where he was released on his own recognizance.

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Budapest "War Dinner" 80 Cents.

BERNE, Jan. 20 (By A. P.).—All restaurants and hotels in Budapest must now provide a "war dinner" at 80 cents, according to the latest food regulations. The menu must consist of soup, nine ounces of vegetables, two ounces of meat and a dessert. Small restaurants may not charge more than 60 cents for a meat course with vegetables.

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'ALLIES CAN BLAME ONLY THEMSELVES FOR LOSS OF RUSSIA'

Post-Dispatch Petrograd Correspondent Charges Entente Diplomats Have Failed.

FAILED TO STATE AIMS

Russian People Are Eager to Get What the Americans Want.

The following article by Arno Dosch-Fleurot, the Post-Dispatch's staff correspondent in Russia, was brought to this country from the Russian capital by special messenger. The article is important, because of the illumination it gives to the underlying causes of the successful Bolshevik revolution leading to the move for a separate peace with Germany and Russia's total defection from the war.

By Arno Dosch-Fleurot,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

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PETROGRAD, Dec. 31.—If the allied Governments, including our own, do not like what has happened in Russia since the successful Bolshevik October-November revolution—and, of course, they do not—they have only themselves to thank for it. For the Bolshevik revolution would not have taken place, a separate armistice would not have been signed with Germany, with the possibility of a separate peace, if it had not been for a whole series of mistakes on the part of the allied Governments in relation to Russia. I do not say these mistakes were not quite natural, but really good diplomacy would have avoided them.

Signs of certain trouble have been for months as plain as the moon in the sky. Ever since the Miliukoff crisis on the first of May the two chief questions on which the Russian situation was finally wrecked have been sticking up like sore thumbs. Miliukoff had to go because he refused to make new treaties with the allies, but insisted on sticking to the old. Result: First, the Bolshevik finally printed all the secret treaties and correspondence they could find, and made a great scandal of it. Second, the fall of Miliukoff was accompanied by the fall of Minister of War Guchkoff. Guchkoff had to go because he insisted on trying to make the army go on fighting the old fight. The army has finished with that affair by signing a separate armistice.

Immediate peace and the end of secret diplomacy have been the Russian slogans all summer. The only reason they have not long since resulted in a separate peace is the fidelity to the allied cause shown by the successive ministries which have centered around the figure of Kerensky. They staved off the inevitable as long as they could with the support of the people dwindling at every change. In the end they got so far out of touch with the masses of the Russian population that the only bayonets Kerensky had with him when he fled from the Winter Palace were in the hands of the Women's Battalion and the boys from the military schools. For the moment the Soviet (the Council of Soldiers' and Workmen's Delegates) withdrew their support and the Government fell to pieces. The Soviet had everything so firmly in its own hands in Petrograd that Kerensky could hardly get enough gasoline for the automobile in which he fled.

Failure to Understand the Soviet.

It was the obvious commonplace of the Russian situation that the Government could only stand as long as it had the Soviet behind it. The barometer was the Soviet, Russia's allies could not afford to take their eyes off it for a moment. But, instead, they kept their eyes on the Government. Otherwise they would have done some rapid footwork, particularly the last weeks before the Bolsheviki drove Kerensky out of town.

To have misjudged the situation earlier in the summer was, perhaps, natural enough. None of us could think of anything but how to keep the Russian army in some kind of fighting form, and those Russians who had the same interest at heart we regarded as our support. But that was no excuse for overlooking the fact that they were a small part of the population, and when they ceased to be an influential part allied diplomacy had no time to lose, but apparently had no idea what it ought to be doing, or it would not have made so many mistakes.

If the allies had had any conception of what the people were thinking in Russia, they would have done one thing at all cost. They would have called the conference on the aims of the war. Not to do it was diplomatic stupidity. And if by not doing it they handed the Bolsheviki ammunition to use against Kerensky, thereby causing his downfall, they have, as I say, only themselves to thank.

The calling of that conference was absolutely necessary. It was obviously not agreeable to call it, but if had to be done. The fact that the allied Governments did not call it showed either they were badly informed or stubborn, either of which is inexcusable in the face of the fact. It is easy enough to understand the human weakness which caused the allies to act as they did. They took the attitude that Russia must live up to her obligations. Well and good. A man who was fighting in the trenches in France might be excused for getting very sore about it, and looking no farther. But their Governments should have known the Russians had no intention of living up to these obligations, or, to put it more correctly, the great masses of the Russians decided they had no such obligations. The allies had a condition, not a theory, before them. But they insisted on considering it theoreticaly. It will probably be a surprise for the rest of the world to learn that the Bolshevik revolution got under way when Bonar Law got up in the House of Commons, in Oc-

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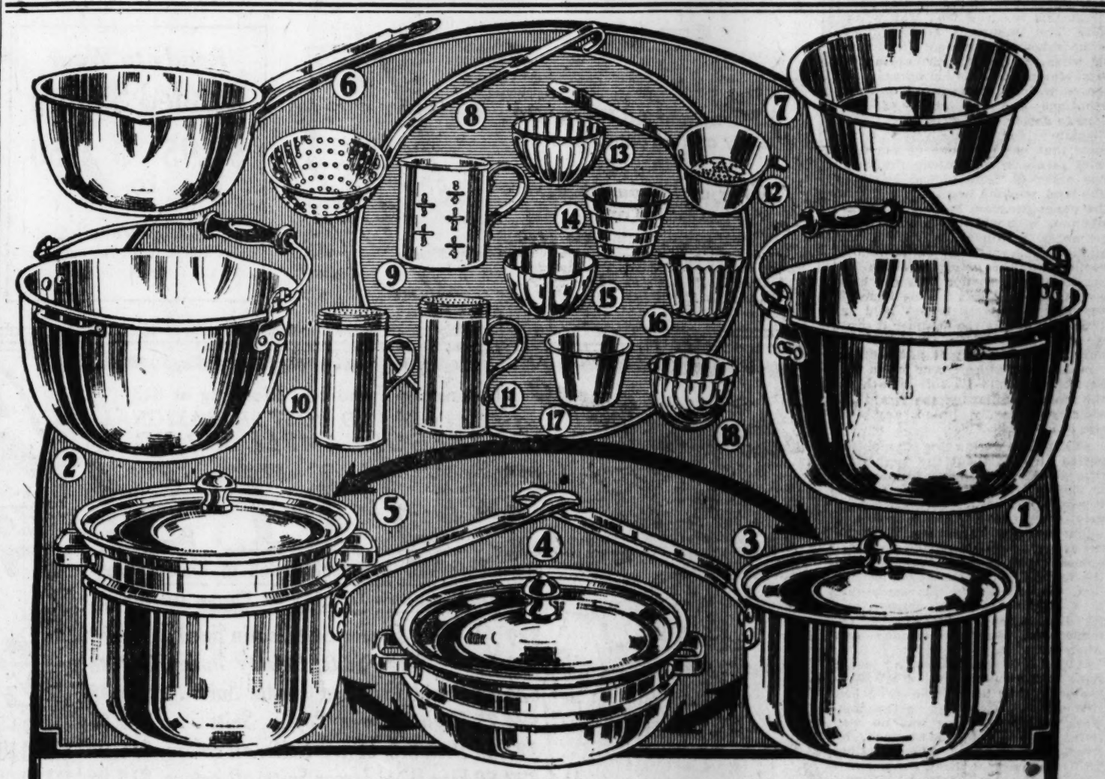
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tober, and said he did not know anything about a conference to be held on the aims of the war. He was answering a question of some Radical members of the House and, as his remark was printed here, he replied that there was soon to be a general allied conference at Paris on the means of carrying on the war to a successful conclusion, but he was unaware that this conference was to take up the aims of the war.

Bonar Law Was Badly Informed.

To begin with, Bonar Law was apparently very badly informed on Russian public opinion, or he would never have made such a statement in public. He could not have told the Russians more plainly to stop talking about secret treaties and get back to the trenches, and that was about all the Russians needed to explode. They exploded, too, and one of the most curious things about it is that Mr. Bonar Law probably does not realize to this day that he had anything to do with the Bolshevik revolution.

Granted that the Russians chose a very unfortunate time for talking about secret treaties—doubt the good faith of it if you like—but there was one unescapable fact, the Russians had been talking about hardly anything else for six months or more. So it was perfectly apparent that the matter had to be taken up in one way or another. In fact, the Paris conference was originally agreed upon for August, and whatever mental reservations there may have been about it in the minds of other people, in the minds of the leaders of the Soviet that conference was going to spend a good share of its time on the question of the aims of the war. But that conference kept being put off, and put off, until the Soviet had pretty well lost patience. And then, at that unhappy moment, Mr. Bonar Law made his few remarks.

To get this clear, let us consider the whole question of secret treaties as regarded in Russia, since the revolution. For that was the mainspring of the Bolshiviki revolution, and was so important to its success that Trotzky had to deliver and print those treaties immediately following the revolution, or the strength of the new Government would have been very much lessened. I have sometimes wondered what would have happened if Trotzky had had to search through the thousands of papers in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to find them. Fortunately for him he did not have to search. Mr. Neratoff, the bureaucratic head of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, came and showed him where they were. Mr. Neratoff, by the way, was a holdover from time to time of the empire. Why did he help Trotzky find them? He certainly had no revolutionary reasons for wanting to see them printed. Those who are making grimaces over the publishing of these documents might do well to give a little thought to the part in their publication played by Neratoff.

But this is aside from the main point. The important consideration is the revolution was only a month old when the Soviet spoke up in decame forthwith, its program of "peace without annexations or contributions and the right of nations to decide their government and allegiance for themselves." Ever since that has been one of the two chief points in revolutionary minds. The other is "land to the people." The land question was the older, but the peace program has been the instrument with which they upset Governments, within a few days of its annunciation, as soon as Miliukoff replied he was going to stand by the treaties as writen, they ran him out of office. It was the big issue of the first all-Russia Soviet held in June. All during the summer it provided the material out of which was built up the sentiment against the "imperialistic allies." And when the Soviet came into its full growth in the reaction following the Korniloff afair you hardly heard anything else in all Russia.

At any time during this six months period all talk about the "imperialistic allies" could have been ended by simply calling off the old treaties. It would not have even been necessary to print them, though that, too, might as well have been done, as the actual publication made the allies appear much less imperialistic than the vague hints that went before. In fact, the publication was something of a let-down, and the masses had an idea England and France intended to swallow Germany and Austria whole.

All this misunderstanding could have been avoided if the allied Governments had been able to orient themselves fast enough to the Russian situation. There was no material advantage to be gained by keeping them alive. The actuating motive of most of them, the acquisition of Constantinople by Russia, which was obviously distasteful to Russia itself. They could simply have been done away with enough published to satisfy curiosity and new treaties with revolutionary Russia could have been signed.

If this had been done there is very little doubt that Russia would not at this moment be considering the terms of a separate peace with Germany.

We have all been brought to this sorry pass because we did not even try to understand the workings of the Russian mind. There was a brand-new situation in diplomacy to handle and there did not appear to be anyone to handle it. For this we are now paying, and if in telling of the Bolshevik success I scold at allied diplomacy, it is because that is the most important angle for us. Whatever Bolshevikism may mean for civilization in general, coming about as it did, it certainly played havoc with our plans for upsetting German autocracy. Whether the Bolsheviki upset it another way is another question. What interests us chiefly at this moment is that they have increased the difficulties for us to finish it our way. So its most important immediate aspect is in relation to the war.

The fundamental mistake about the Russian revolution, the mistake which all citizens of allied countries in Russia, myself among the number, persisted in making, was that the Russian army could be induced to fight. We believed it in spite of our better judgment. We believed it because we wanted to believe it, because it was desperately important for us that Russia should fight. But we ought to have known better. We were in the position of the man who bets on the home team even when he knows it can only win on a fluke.

There was some excuse for thinking so, it is true. Plenty of Russians persisted in thinking so, too. Kerensky's efforts to put fire into the soldiers' tired hearts was an extraordinary performance. The attack he induced them to make in Galicia, was a forensic feat and the initial success gained before the spirit went out of the thing is hardly less extraordinary. Looking back now on my memories of that southwest army and the way it rallied to a fight for which it had no stomach, I cannot now feel that the debacle was anything but the natural consequence of an artificially stimulated assault.

Kerensky was a good friend of the Allies—too good. So were the other men who supported him. Tereschenko, who was in the closest touch with the Allies, deceived them at the same time he deceived himself. Tereschenko evidently did not know his own countrymen and is lying on his cot now in the Fortress of Peter and Paul, trying to make out what happened. He cannot understand what he did to be imprisoned—and probably never will, for he committed the fatal mistake of misunderstanding his own people. For us he was the worst of good friends. He sang us lullybies when we should have been wide awake and doing.

But I hold that for Kerensky, Tereschenko and other Russians to make the mistake was more excusable than for us to make it. They were in the internal fight, to which we were only anxious onlookers. The limits of the excuse that can be made for us was that the moment the Bolshiviki gained control of the Petrograd Soviet, when we did not wake up and get very busy a few days later at the downfall of the conservative leaders—Tchaidzle, Tseretelli & Co.—in the Central Committee of the all-Russia Soviet, we sim-

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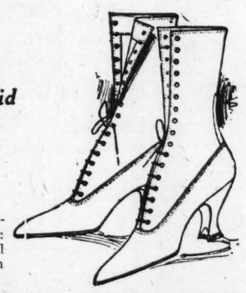


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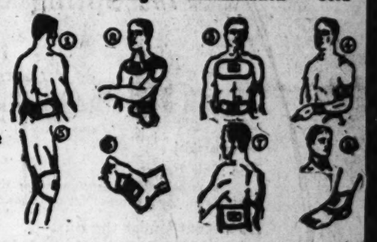
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ply showed we did not know what was going on.

Fatal Delay in Stating War Aims.

These two events took place more than a month before the Bolsheviki revolution. We had five or six weeks in which to turn around, but we bungled ahead in the same blind way until the revolution gave us a jolt there was no mistaking.

There was just one thing to do once the Bolsheviki with their immediate peace programme captured the Petrograd Soviet in September. Call an immediate conference on the aims of the war without delay. It was not only not done, but the situation was much aggravated by the discussions in that wobbly institution, the Council of he Republic, on whether Skobelev, the representative of the Soviet, should be allowed to go to Paris at all. Tereschenko made it worse by making a stereotyped pro-ally speech, not that anybody objected to his pro-ally sentiments, but by his speech he showed he was still following the policy of Milukoff, and intended to stick by all treaties as written. Then Bonar Law doused all hope of reconstructing treaties as demanded by the Soviet, and that touched off the whole thing.

Looking back on my cable files, I see that on Oct. 20, three weeks before the revolution I sent a cable to the Post-Dispatch indicating that there would be a revolution and an immediate offer of peace to Germany. A week later I sent the same information more definitely, stated in an interview with Trotzky; in fact he carried out later everything he told me in that interview.

Before that interview was put on the cable, I learned later from the censor, it was shown to Tereschenko who decided to let it go. I do not know why he passed a cable foretelling his own downfall; perhaps out of a sense of fairness; perhaps because he had helped off the Bolsheviki revolution so long he was tired of it and was willing to have a showdown. Undoubtedly, he thought the provisional government would win, though he had no reason for thinking so.

The whole story of Tereschenko's delusion—and the delusion of the allies—lies in comparison between the unsuccessful Bolshevik revolution of July and the later successful Bolshevik revolution. The July revolution, which had the same purpose and the same leaders as the later revolution failed because the Soviet was against it. In those days the Soviet was in the hands of the Minshiviki. The Bolsheviki bolted once from the all-Russian Soviet held shortly before in July, but they did not have the support of the masses at that time, and had to go back. The masses were still following the more moderate course of Tchaidse, Tseretelli, Sokoloff and company, and were giving them a substantial majority in the Soviet. So when the uprising of July commenced they squelched it.

Scandal of the Secret Treaties.

The important point is that it was the Soviet which put down the Bolshevik revolution of July. It passed resolutions supporting the provisional Government and it ordered troops to come here from the front.

But during the summer and early fall the demand for immediate peace, the publishing of treaties, and a radical Socialist platform became so strong that the Bolshevik party grew steadily in power until, at the end of September, it gained a majority in the Petrograd Soviet and proceeded at once to make sweeping changes. It brought Lenine out of hiding where he had been all summer and elected him president.

Anyone who knew anything at all about the Russian Revolution knew what that meant. The comparison was too striking to be overlooked. The Bolsheviki had the masses with them this time and they were going the limit.

So far as the United States is concerned, I find that many Americans in Petrograd lay the blame for our lack of understanding on the Root Mission. It was here at the time of the first all-Russian Soviet and was still in Russia at the time of the July revolution, so there was no excuse for it not understanding what was going on. I might say, however, it did not know, or would not know, what was going on. My personal conversations with the members of the mission at the time convinced me they had not grasped that the real government of Russia was the Soviet. They pooh-poohed the idea and evidently regarded me as a radical person who did not understand the finer points of politics. Charles Edward Russell, the only member of the political side of the mission who seemed to understand the mass-movement of the Russian population, I remember, was regarded in the mission as a well-meaning crank. Mr. Root himself, despite his long political career, misjudged the political forces completely, and was under the delusion that the moderate Socialist leaders and the cadets could hold the balance of power.

The willful blindness of the mission in the face of events which were happening all around them, was to me very exasperating, as it was certain to lead to a false understanding in America. I have in my desk a bitter criticism I wrote at the time, but did not send out of a mistaken sense of politeness.

From Americans who have come to Russia since I have learned that the effect on the Root mission on America was all that I feared it would be. It was soothing syrup.

Where the Root Mission Failed.

An excuse for this may be found in that they were perhaps betting on the Kerensky Government as the only chance to keep an army on the Russian front, but that should not have made them blind to facts. If they had sounded the political depths they would have known the Kerensky Government could stand only so long as it had the Soviet behind it, only so long as the Minsheviki were in command of the revolt. The moment the Minsheviki lost command of the Soviet, the moment Lenine was elected President of the Petrograd Soviet and Tschaidze, Tseretelli, Sokoloff, Dann, Linber, Gotz lost control of the Central Committee (the permanent executive committee) of the All-Russian Soviet, the Kerensky Government was doomed, and there was no time to waste finding out why.

At that particular time the whole fight was centered around the Paris conference and the question of the aims of the war. Russia was stubbornly repeating its allies must take a categorical attitude for "no annexations, no contributions, and the self-definition of peoples." In fact, they have hardly been able to think of anything else since, and their delegates trying to arrange peace with Germany are right now having a stiff fight trying to make Germany accept them.

But all this seems to have transpired without our understanding it at all. We let ourselves be befuddled by questions of leaders, the influence of German propaganda, the violence of revolution—when the only thing that counted was the demand of the Russian people as a whole, and that found what expression it could in the Soviet.

And the tragedy of the whole thing is that at heart the Russian people want just exactly what the American people want—a just, enduring peace. In everything they have said, in everything they have done Trotzky and President Wilson have shown they are struggling for the same kind of a peace. Trotzky wants to go on afterward, or before, for that matter, and upset capitalism, establishing Socialism. But as far as practical action is concerned that is not in question.

If the Germans get an advantage out of it we have only ourselves to blame. The Germans took the trouble to understand clearly and they did not confuse issues.

Which reminds me of a remark Serge Shidlovsky, president of the progressive bloc in the Duma, once said when a revolution in Russia was hardly thought of:

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The yacht was sold in prize court last May for $50,000 to Capt. Hans Hennevig, a Norwegian, who was required to deposit with the Government an additional $50,000 as a guarantee that the vessel would not be delivered to the enemy. Now that the yacht has gone to the United States, the guarantee has been released and Capt. Hennevig has requested the court to hand the sum on deposit to the Red Cross.

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Will be interested in the remarkable southern external vapor treatment that relieves croup in fifteen minutes and colds over night. Applied over the throat and chest, the body heat releases the ingredients in the form of vapors that are inhaled with each breath all night long. This new treatment is VapoRub, and you rub it in at bedtime, leaving the clothing and bedclothes loose around the neck so the vapors may be freely inhaled. The best part about VapoRub is that it can be applied as often and freely as wished, and is better than "dosing" with internal medicines, as it does not derange the stomach and disturb digestion. Three sizes, 25c, 50c and $1.00—ADV.

WASHING WON'T RID HEAD OF DANDRUFF

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Do this tonight, and by morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop at once, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and never fails to do the work.—ADV.

Glass of Salts Cleans Kidneys

If your Back hurts or Bladder bothers you, drink lots of water.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which removes the body's waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

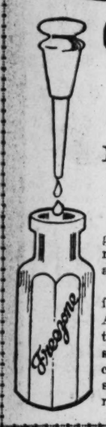
Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids so they no longer are a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.—ADV.



Out of It! Corns Hurt So! Lift off Sore, Touchy Corns

No pain! Apply few drops then lift corn or callus off with fingers—Magic!



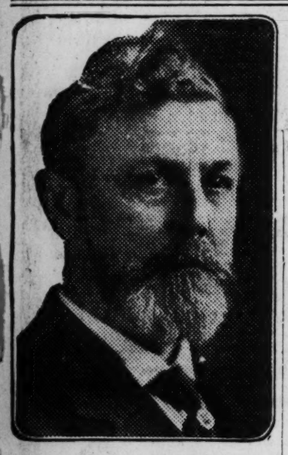
For a few cents you can get a small bottle of the magic freezone discovered by a Cincinnati chemist.

Just ask at any drug store for a small bottle of freezone. Apply a few drops upon a tender, aching corn and instantly that old bothersome corn stops hurting, then shortly you can lift it out, root and all, with the fingers.

Just think! Not one bit of pain before applying freezone or afterwards. It doesn't even irritate the surrounding skin.

Hard corns, soft corns, or corns between the toes, also hardened calluses on bottom of feet shrivel up and fall off without hurting a particle. It is a scientific compound made from ether. Wonderful!

—ADV.



Orrie writes: "I have been taking salts to purify my blood and cure my skin of itching and pimples, but don't get much benefit. Please prescribe for this."

Answer: I advise three-grain sulpherb tablets (not sulphur tablets), composed of sulphur, cream of tartar and vegetable extracts that remove constipation and purify the system. Take this treatment for several months for best results.

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"Patient" writes: "I want your free advice. I seem to have gone all to pieces. I am irritated and annoyed by dizzy moments, fickle appetite, no strength and life has no pleasures for me any more."

Answer: There are thousands who live too fast and then find themselves in your plight. The nervous vigor has been deranged. A tonic invigorating medicine called three-grain cadomene tablets will afford aid to Nature by supplying more food-energy and give your system a chance to recuperate, when calm nerves should take the place of shattered nerves.

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"Laborer" asks: "I am so affected with painful kidneys that I cannot work regularly. My back aches and often have chills and fever, making me real sick for a day."

Answer: A good tonic, soothing and neutralizing medicine for such complaints is balmwort tablets. Try them and continue a few weeks and I am sure you will write me of your recovery.

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B. L. C. writes: "If not too much trouble, can you advise if Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm is effective in the treatment of catarrh of the head. I want to overcome this trouble, as it is going to cause deafness if I do not soon."

Answer: This old-established proprietary balm is one that is widely used and successfully, too, by thousands afflicted as you are.

The Doctor's Advice by Dr. Lewis Baker

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply in any case of similar nature.

Those wishing further advice, free, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College Bldg., College-Elwood streets, Dayton, Ohio, enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given, but only initials or fictitious names will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

"Fern" writes: "I have suffered with a bad cough for some time and I am also weak and tired most of the time, which I think is due to the severe coughing. Can you give me a remedy?"

Answer: Yes, your weakness is due to the coughing, but you should be well relieved by using the following: Get a 2½-oz. package of essence mentho-laxene and make according to directions on the bottle, then take a teaspoonful every hour or two until the cough is cured. This makes a full pint of the very best and safest cough syrup. If your druggist does not have mentholaxene, have him order it for you of the wholesale firm.

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Mrs. M. asks: "My scalp itches terribly, is feverish and a great amount of oily dandruff is present. What is good for this?"

Answer: First shampoo the hair and then apply plain yellow minyol about once a week as per directions. This relieves the itching, overcomes the dandruff and makes the hair beautifully glossy and vigorous. Obtain in 4-oz. jars of druggists.

NOTE—For many years Dr. Baker has been giving free advice and prescriptions to millions of people through the press columns, and doubtless has helped in relieving illness and distress more than any single individual in the world's history. Thousands have written him expressions of gratitude and confidence similar to the following:

Dr. Lewis Baker, Dear Sir:—I feel it as a duty to write you. Four years ago my husband had a bad cough and found no relief from all cough medicines we could try. We finally tried the mentholatene prescription and made it up as cough medicine, and it quickly cured him. It also gives me great relief from asthma, from which I suffer in winter time, as you know here in Oregon we have it so rainy instead of snow. I send stamps and coupon for your great "Guide Book, Health and Beauty." Thanking you, I am,

Yours truly,
MRS. M. H. VAN WART,
Lents, Oregon.

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Your Health Depends Upon Your Kidneys

Many organs take part in assimilation of food, and a number are active in eliminating those portions of the food which are not taken into the blood for the upbuilding of the body. Of the eliminative organs, the liver and the kidneys are of major importance, and are most likely to be overworked and become diseased. When such is the case, various troubles of a digestive and eliminative character occur, and such troubles are so frequent and so common that it is absolutely necessary to find some relief. Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Remedy was compounded over 40 years ago to help equalize the work of both kidneys and liver. How successful it has been is evidenced by its widespread sale and its value in attested by an immense number of appreciative users who through these many years have put it to the severest tests with the most satisfactory results.

"About 7 years ago I was so weak and worn out that I could hardly work. After trying other things without relief, I tried Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Remedy. In a short time the pain left me, and the rheumatism and dyspepsia vanished. We have used Warner's Safe Remedies ever since with great success in our family." O. F. Rose, Burtonville, Kentucky, U. S. A.

Sold by Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., and all druggists. Sample sent on receipt of ten cents. Warner's Safe Remedies Co., Dept. 245, Rochester, N. Y.

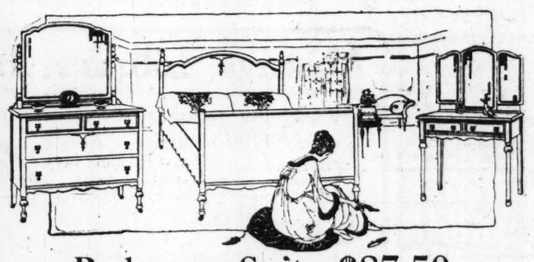
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February Furniture Sale

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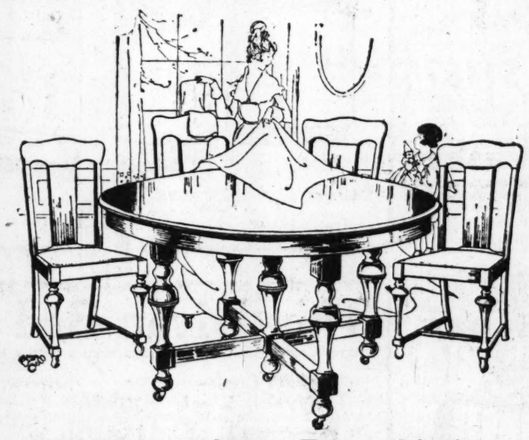
Only Six Days More

Just six days within which to select from practically our entire stock at these substantial savings. Convenient terms and, if desired, goods selected now will be held for future delivery.



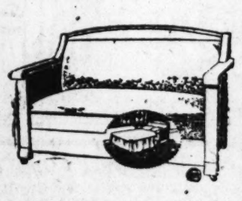
Bedroom Suite $87.50

Bed, dresser and dressing table illustrated, in either American walnut or mahogany. Pieces sold separately, also chiffonier, chifforobe, straight chair and rocker to match are shown.



Dining Table---Four Chairs Set Complete $36.75

Extension table and four chairs, William and Mary style, Jacobean finish. Chairs have full slip seats of genuine leather.



Davenette $27.75

Massive mahogany finished Davenette, upholstered in either black or brown Spanish Imperial leather.

RUGS

One whole floor is given over to floor coverings and draperies—and never have such values been offered as in the February sale. We cannot begin to list all the bargains here—just a few representative values.



$38.50—9x12 Axminster Rugs at.....$28.50
$32.50—9x12 Velvet Rugs at.....$25.00
$22.50—9x12 Brussels Rugs at.....$15.00
$70.00—9x12 Royal Wilton Rugs at.....$47.50

Carpet Rugs

These Rugs are 27 inches wide and four feet long. They are made up from short lengths of our finest carpets and are fringed or braided on ends. Values up to $2.00—choice, each 75c

Linoleum

$1.50 Inlaid Linoleum, sq. yd., $1.10
$1 Printed Linoleum, sq. yd., 75c
65c Ringwalt Linoleum, sq. yd., 47c
Short lengths of Linoleum enough for a small room—Inlaid Linoleum short lgths., sq. yd., 65c
Printed Linoleum at sq. yd., 35c

Small Rugs

36x72-inch Axminster Rugs, $3.00
27x54-inch Axminster Rugs, $2.25
22x36-inch Axminster Rugs, $1.25
27x54-inch Fiber Rugs, 75c



Rubber Door Mats

Regular 75c value; sale price 40c

Lace Curtains

A thousand pairs of fresh, crisp Scotch Madras Curtains in white or cream—out they go at half price.

$1.25 Scotch Curtains, pair.....60c
$1.50 Scotch Curtains, pair.....75c
$2.00 Scotch Curtains, pair.....$1.00
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Sunfast Mercerized Madras Curtains, in plain and multi-colors; $8.50 value, at, pair..... $4.75

Tapestry Portieres, plain and figured, some with imported tapestry borders; regular $8.50 value, at $5.00

Lace Curtains, only, three or four pairs of a pattern; $3.00, $4.00 and $4.50 values; choice at, pair $2.25

All Curtains of only one or two pairs to a pattern, worth from $4 to $15, at half of marked price.

Rope and Leather Portieres

A big assortment in practically all colors at just half price.

Leather Skins

Leather Library Skins, in many colors; $3 value; at... $1.50

Gas Ranges

$19.00 Gas Range...$12.75
$28.00 Gas Range...$22.50
$36.00 Gas Range...$29.75
$45.00 Gas Range...$34.75
$50.00 Gas Range...$39.75
$60.00 Gas Range...$45.00

Refrigerators

$12.00 Refrigerator, $ 9.90
$20.00 Refrigerator, $15.75
$22.00 Refrigerator, $19.50
$28.00 Refrigerator, $21.75
$48.00 Refrigerator, $39.75
$51.00 Refrigerator, $43.50

Brass Beds

$12.00 Brass Bed....$ 9.95
$18.00 Brass Bed....$12.00
$26.00 Brass Bed....$19.75
$31.00 Brass Bed....$22.00
$41.00 Brass Bed....$29.50

Library Tables

$ 9.00 Table.....$ 6.75
$13.00 Table.....$ 9.95
$16.00 Table.....$12.00
$18.50 Table.....$14.25
$52.00 Table.....$39.50

Chifforobes

$16.00 Chifforobe...$11.75
$30.00 Chifforobe...$23.75
$35.00 Chifforobe...$27.75
$45.00 Chifforobe...$33.75

Dressers

$15.00 Dresser.....$11.75
$18.00 Dresser.....$13.50
$23.00 Dresser.....$14.75
$44.50 Dresser.....$23.50

Chiffoniers

$18.00 Chiffonier...$13.75
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$37.50 Chiffonier...$28.75



Four-Post Bed $22.75

MAHOGANY or American walnut finish and either full or three-quarter size. A truly unusual value.

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This Corn Will Peel Right Off!

"Gets-It" Makes Corns Come Off the "Banana-Peel" Way!

Why have to flop on the floor, squeeze yourself up like the letter "Z," and with bulging eyes draw your face up into a wrinkly knot while you gouge and pull at the "quick" of a tender corn? That's



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the old, savage way. "Gets-It" is the modern, painless, simple way. Lean over and put two drops of "Gets-It" on the corn, put your stocking and shoe right on again and forget the corn. Pain is eased.

"Gets-It" has revolutionized the treatment of corns. It never irritates the true flesh. You'll stop limping on the side of your shoe, and do away with greasy salves, bandling bandages, thick plasters and painful methods. Use "Gets-It." It's common sense.

"Gets-It" is sold by all druggists (you need pay no more than 25 cents), or it will be sent direct by E. LAWRENCE & CO., Chicago, Ill.

Sold in St. Louis and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Judge & Dolph Drug Co., Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Enderle Drug Co., Pauley Drug Stores Co. and Keifer Drug Co.—ADV.

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$1.00 a Week Gent's Elgin Watch—12-size thin model—fully guaranteed—a bargain at... $11



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GROUP EXHIBITION AT MUSEUM CLOSES TODAY

Number of Art Objects of More Than Usual Interest on Display.

The joint exhibition of paintings by Hayley Lever, Ernest Lawson, Leopold Seyffert and Karl Anderson, which has been on view at the Art Museum in Forest Park during February, will close today.

In this group St. Louisans have had an opportunity to study and compare the works of four American artists who paint in so-called "modern" styles. In the pictures shown, conventionality has been supplanted in varying degrees by an effort to render effects of nature just as they appeal to the artists.

Of the four artists represented, Lever and Lawson probably display the most unusual and direct styles of painting. The seemingly crude colors and careless workmanship of paintings like Lever's "The Orchard" and Lawson's "The Old House" may not prove attractive, but the strength of the work cannot be denied. Other canvases by the same artists, however, are much more pleasing by reason of their atmospheric charm or picturesque subjects, as, for instance, "The Hudson at Ironwood" and "Along the Harlem River," by Lawson, and "Gloucester," "St. Ives" and "Fishing Boats," by Lever.

Anderson Paints in High Key.

Karl Anderson paints usually in a high key and his pictures are frequently marked by effects of delicately vibrating color. He delights in the depiction of attractive women and children in brilliant surroundings, as is evinced by the canvases "Her Ladyship's Attendants," "My Lady Alice," "Ruth" and other compositions in the present exhibition. A characteristic example of his work entitled "The Sisters" was recently purchased by the museum.

Leopold Seyffert paints in a lower key and with a broad, full brush. In "Daniel Zuloaga," "Dutch Peasant Couple" and "Dutch Fisherman," he contributes characterful portrait studies.

Visitors at the museum today will see a number of other art objects of more than usual interest, which have been lent for temporary display. In gallery No. 1 has been installed an important primitive Italian painting by Bartolommeo di Giovanni, who flourished about 1490. It is a church painting of the "Ancona" type, and portrays the Madonna and Child with Saints and Donors. The picture is well preserved and has been valued by art critics at more than $50,000.

Sixteenth Century Tapestry.

A sixteenth century Renaissance tapestry, lent by a New York dealer, has been hung in galley No. 17. The tapestry is 24 by 13½ feet in size and is woven of silk, wool and gold. The subject is "The Burning of the Numidian Camp," one of the Scipio series. The piece was woven at Brussels between 1520 and 1560, and was brought to Spain by Philip II, who presented it to one of his nobles.

A group of Chinese robes, velvets and carpets have been hung in gallery No. 30, adjoining the painting exhibition. Next month the museum will display two new collections—an exhibition of paintings by Frederic C. Bartlett and a joint exhibition of paintings by Gardner Symons, Frederick C. Frieseke and James R. Hopkins.

A Chinese temple bell of bronze, made during the Chou dynasty, has recently been added to the museum's collection of Chinese bronzes. The Chou dynasty began in 1122 B. C. and ended in 255 B. C., hence the bell is at least 2100 years old. Its rich ornamentation is eloquent of the extreme antiquity of the development of Chinese art.

Another accession is a small bronze statue of the naturalist, John Burroughs, modeled by C. S. Pietro, which was presented to the museum last month by J. C. Strauss.

Any Watch you want on credit. Loftis Bros. & Co. 2d fl., 308 N. 6th st.—ADV.

STENOGRAPHY AND BOOKKEEPING CLASSES FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS

Meeting at Central High School Tomorrow to Arrange to Prepare Them to Replace Men.

An intensive course of training in stenography and bookkeeping for young girls and women who wish to fit themselves to fill the places, if need be, of men called to the cantonments will be inaugurated tomorrow afternoon at a meeting at 4 o'clock at Central High School.

The Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense has obtained the approval of the Board of Education to establish classes in shorthand, bookkeeping and typewriting daily at Central High School after the close of the regular school session. Classes will begin at 4 o'clock and close at 5:30. A fee of $15 to cover cost of instruction will be charged. The course will begin Tuesday or Wednesday and run until the close of the school term in June.

More than 100 pupils are expected to enroll tomorrow afternoon for the course, which is open to all women. Applicants will be divided into classes tomorrow.

Three Miles of Boarding Places
Are listed in today's BIG REAL ESTATE and WANT DIRECTORIES—1½ miles more than the two other St. Louis Sunday newspapers combined.

Choir Recital This Evening.

The choir of St. Paul's Evangelical Chapel, Giles avenue and Potomac street, will give a song service this evening. A program consisting of solos, quartet and choir anthems, depicting the various seasons of the church year, will be presented.

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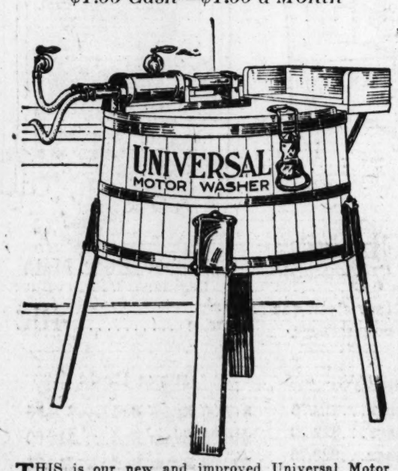


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IT'S a beautiful Bed in Vernis Martin Gold Finish—extra large and massive—and comes complete with good mattress and all-iron spring with woven-wire top—offered on terms of $1.50 cash and $1.50 a month at a price that will certainly interest you..... $19.75

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THIS is our new and improved Universal Motor Washing Machine—will do a large family washing in half the usual time—it operates by water power—just connect the hose to the faucet in your kitchen, and the pressure of the water runs the machine—the motor is strong, simple and cannot get out of order—one of the greatest values ever offered in this line at..... $14.75

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Bachelor Chiffonier $13.75

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WHERE is the man who would not appreciate a Bachelor Chiffonier like this—it is the most attractive and convenient piece of furniture you could select for his room—it saves time, room and money, and provides a place for everything within easy reach. And it is just as convenient for a lady's room as for a man's.

REALLY two pieces of furniture in one—the Chiffonier has five drawers and hat box—the wardrobe section is roomy and is supplied with coat and skirt hangers—thoroughly well constructed—finished in golden oak—and certainly an unusual value at our price of $13.75—on terms of $1.00 cash and $1.00 a month.

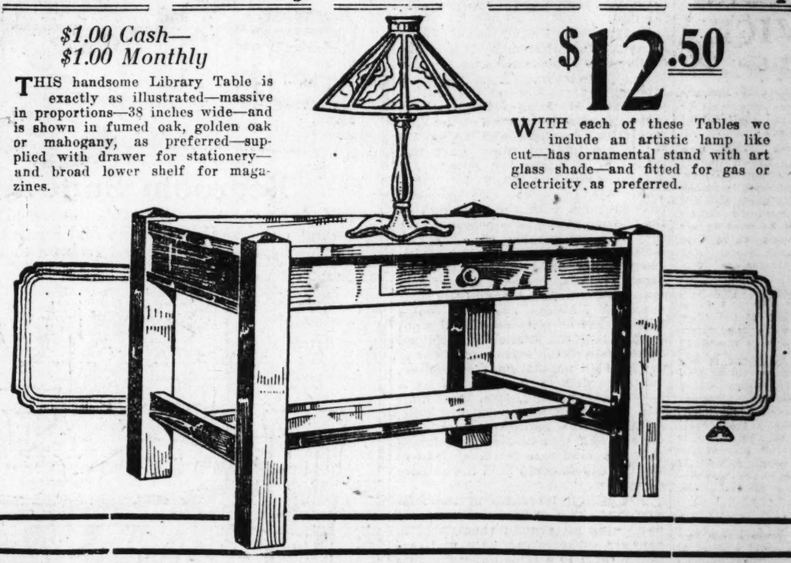
Massive Library Table—With Art Lamp

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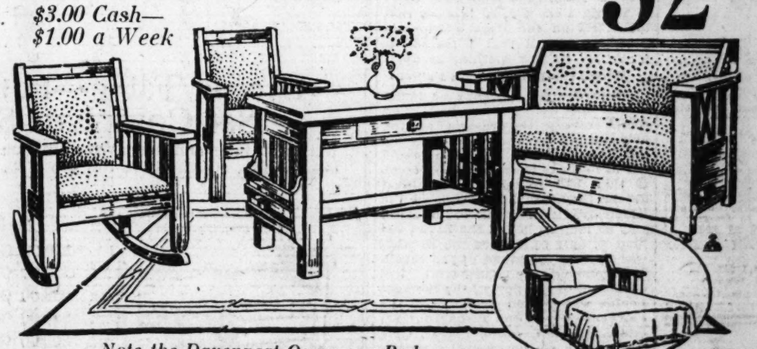
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WITH each of these Tables we include an artistic lamp like cut—has ornamental stand with art glass shade—and fitted for gas or electricity, as preferred.



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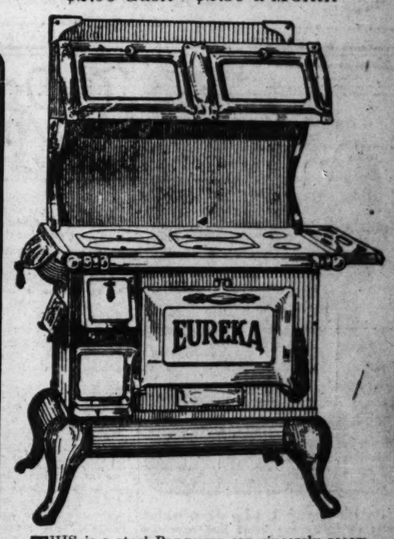
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THIS beautiful Library Rocker is big, broad and massive—an exact copy of a design made famous by Birch of England—it is in classic straight-line effect—richly upholstered in imitation leather—finely constructed—a Rocker that will prove a valuable acquisition to any home—and a surprising value at our price of..... $10.50

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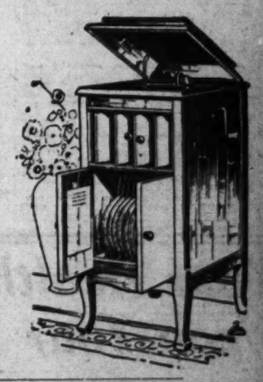
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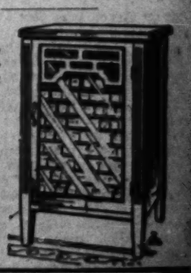
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How U. S. Is Taking the Hysterics Out of Hog Island to Get Its Ships on Time

Private Promoters Got a Bit Dizzy Over the Big Job They Tackled and Lost Their Heads, So Government Has Stepped In to See That Vast Plan for Winning the War Does Not Fail.

By DUNCAN AIKMAN.
A Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.—The war is to be won in the shipyards of the Delaware River. Six miles south of the Philadelphia City Hall, from what was five months ago a swamp and a mudflat, will be launched the American "grand offensive."

The American "grand offensive" will be launched from Hog Island.

Senatorial investigations, Department of Justice investigations are under way at Hog Island. These are incidents. They are incidental to what has become one of the great war-winning determinations of the United States Government; the determination to make Hog Island the greatest shipyard in the world, the determination to rebuild at Hog Island a sixth of what the Germans destroy.

HOG ISLAND will build two kinds of ships. It will build 50 ships of 7500 tons burden. As these leave the ways their places will be taken by the keels of ships designed to carry 8000 tons. There will be 70 of the larger ones—120 in all of both small and large—the 935,000 tons which are to render fruitless a sixth of the Kaiser's ruin.

Within a year of its completion, if the rest of the United States will produce the materials, Hog Island will send down to the sea 935,000 tons of shipping to take the place of what the U-boats sink. If the Germans sink 6,000,000 tons a year, and the probabilities are that in the future they will sink considerably less, practically one-sixth of that loss can be recouped at Hog Island. The Government will not permit Hog Island to do less than it can.

Mistakes have been made there. Lavish expenditures have been made. There has been haste, and it has made waste. But Hog Island will be built and Hog Island will build the ships. On these points the Government is ruthless and is driving ruthlessly toward these ends.

Government Control Absolute.

There is talk of the Government taking over Hog Island. Already the Government has virtually taken it over. In the two weeks since Rear Admiral Francis T. Bowles, assistant general manager of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, installed himself in a Philadelphia office in direct charge of the work at Hog Island and two other great Government shipyards near here, the line of authority has been as straight as it was between the Admiral and his subordinates when the former was the chief executive of the Fore River shipyards at Quincy. He has had the ordering of what work should be dropped and what continued. He has had the right to drop whole departments from the payroll. He has done some ordering. He has dropped at least one department.

Work Will "Stay Put."

Hog Island is 30 per cent built. In that statement alone is summed up a tremendous achievement. More important still, that 30 per cent has been built to stay. Whatever it may have cost, however, the progress of the work may have suffered from weather conditions, from conditions of the labor supply, from inefficiencies of organization due to the magnitude of the task, the public may be confident that what has been done will not have to be undone. Hog Island is 30 per cent on the way to turning out ships.

What one finds accomplished at Hog Island is gigantic. The automobile road, and with the exception of a single track, the railroads, which carry you to the center of this great 900-acre tract of reclaimed march land, have been built since the day in September when surveyors of the contractor, the American International Corporation, first set foot on the island.

42 Miles of Railroad.

In five months the contractors have made those 900 acres of swamp and sand dune into solid land. They have built 42 miles of railroad to knit the farthest ends of it together, to establish its connections with the outside world.

Six miles of passenger track bring there the 15,000 workmen who live outside. Materials for the construction are rushed now upon arrival into a storage yard, fully completed for all of 8.2 miles. Tracks serving the shipways are being rushed now at full speed. The time is at hand when a part of this service will be vitally needed every day to carry materials to great hulls rising at the south end of the yard. Shop tracks are being built, tracks for a holding yard sufficient to meet the needs of the island when shipbuilding will be at its maximum. There are 20 miles of freight tracks, eight miles of temporary connections used mainly in the construction work itself.

Hog Island has the equipment to keep itself moving. Trucking is as important as railways. At a time when permanent road building was out of the question on account of weather conditions the trucking problem—a problem of making thoroughfares for thousands of trucks through a swamp—has been solved by the building of five miles of plank road.

The ground at Hog Island was frozen three and four feet deep this winter. Nevertheless 27 per cent of the grading it now done. One hundred and sixty-five thousand yards of dirt has been displaced. The rest will move faster.

Weather Handicaps.

Dredging has proceeded despite the enormous handicap of ice. In the north basin, where the great ships will go after launching next fall to receive their final equipment, nearly three-fourths of a total of impediment of 1,590,000 cubic yards of muck have been removed. In the west basin, where 2,300,000 cubic yards must be removed and cribwork for piers constructed, dredging is under way.

Shops have sprung up. The great plate and angle shop, 626x223 feet, where giant steel slabs for the sides of ships will be bent to their final shape, is 85 per cent finished. An enormous template shop stands completed. Smith shops, machine shops, the second huge plate and angle shops, for the correction equipment, where the parts of the great ships will be made to "fit" exactly, are rising or are advancing through the foundation stages—not easy stages, when the weight of huge plants must be fitted to rest solidly on a muck island.

These are permanent buildings. For the temporary purposes of the plant builders themselves, machine shops, repairing shops, smithies, storehouses, have been built by scores, located wherever there was use for them.

Administration buildings, guard barracks, hospital, four fire stations, a railroad station, a Young Men's Christian Association for the workers, a heating plant, all are standing and in use. Dormitories and bunkhouses are built to house 5500 men. Houses for 1500 more are building.

One Keel Laid, Others to Follow

But ship production is the end of everything. When it was first proposed that 50 ways be built along a mile of water front, shipbuilders of long experience were willing to stake their reputations that it would not be

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Treaty of Brest a Cornerstone of Germany's Mittel-Europa Scheme, Writes Simonds

Russian Bear's Claws Trimmed for 100 Years

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Noted Critic and Observer Holds That Whatever the Outcome of the War May Be, Much of the Work at the Conference Will Stand, and That, Particularly, the Ukraine Should and Will Remain an Independent Commonwealth, Probably With Teutonic Sympathies.

By FRANK H. SIMONDS,
Author of "The Great War" and "Thou Shalt Not Pass."

THE principles recently laid down at Brest-Litovsk, the frontiers fixed and sketched, give to this congress an importance comparable in modern history with the congress of Vienna. Like the treaty of Luneville, which abolished the Holy Roman Empire, this treaty—if it may be described as a treaty—temporarily, at least, destroys the Russian empire, and may prove with respect to Eastern Europe as important as the treaty of Westphalia was for the West.

The results of this momentous congress must be examined in three different ways: as to its geographical, its political and its military circumstances. At least three new nations were sketched and in a sense recognized in the outlines of the principles laid down at Brest. What are these states, as the map will later show them? What political relations will they have to the European system? Finally, what will the probable effect of this settlement be upon the world war?

To begin at the beginning, the Brest-Litovsk agreement, so far as it affects Southern Russia, creates a great independent state, having an area of more than 250,000 square miles—that is, greater than that of Austria-Hungary—with a population but little short of the 30,000,000 of France. This territory is, roughly speaking, bounded by the Black Sea, the territory of the Don Cossacks, west of the river of that name, the great Pripel Marshes, the old Austro-Russian frontier and the new frontier between that Poland which is to be created and Ukraine.



The German-made map of the East, showing the buffer states Berlin plans to erect to protect her from Russia if the latter should ever grow great again.

Essentials of a Nation.

This state is mainly populated by people with a sense of race solidarity and a long-cherished ideal of autonomy, if not actual independence. It is the richest agricultural region of Russia, and is in the main a land of small holdings and peasant ownership—quit contrasted with the conditions of other regions of Russia. This new state has reasonably well-marked natural frontier; it has an outlet on the sea, and may be regarded as having all the essentials of a separate nation.

Less clear, yet not to be missed, is the preparation for the construction of still another state—that if Lithuania, to include the somewhat hazy estate of the old Jagellon Lithuania and the Baltic provinces which at one time or another were, in part at least, held by the Teutonic orders. This state is to include practically all the Russian Baltic seacoast, with the great ports of Riga and Libau, and not impossibly Reval. It would have an area of about 60,000 square miles, half that of Italy, and a population of upward of 6,000,000; but this population would be mixed—mainly Lettish, but with strong Polish and Finnish infusions, and an appreciable element of Germans.

Unlike Ukrania, this Lithuanian state would lack real racial cohesion. It would be really a German-controlled facade, thrown across the Baltic seaboard of Northern Russia, giving the German masters actual mastery of the outlets of Russia on the Baltic. It would be under the domination of the numerically insignificant element of Germans—survivors of the old Teutonic orders; it would depend upon Germany for existence, and it would be the cause of another war if Russia ever became a powerful state, because such a state would of necessity have to gain an outlet on the sea.

Finally, the more or less definite indication of the Lithuanian and Ukranian frontiers reveals the Austro-German plan for Poland. This Poland is to be a relatively restricted state, smaller than Lithuania, and shut in between Germany, Lithuania, Ukrania and Austria—unless some portion of Galicia were added to it its area would be well under 50,000 square miles—less than that of New York State—holding a population a little above 10,000,000. It would be cut off from the sea by German Prussia and shut out of the Russian markets, which it supplied with manufactured goods by the new frontiers. Such a Poland would be little more than a sham and mockery. It would have a better chance of survival were Polish Galicia joined to it, but it would still be a helpless enclave in the German and Austrian controlled territories which would surround it.

Now, as to the political alignment of these three states: Ukraina would have all the essentials of an independent state; it would naturally fall into an alliance with the Central Powers, whose aid it would seek against invasion from the north by the Bolshevik armies, coming not so much to conquer and to restore Ukrania to Russia as to establish the doctrine of the Russian revolution and introduce the class war, to which the Russian Reds will now dedicate themselves. For the Central Powers, in peace or in war, Ukrania would be a natural granary, while it would not have to fear ultimate German absorption, since it lies outside the pathway of German ambition and is in the main removed from German frontiers.

The Mitteleuropa Scheme.

By the Brest-Litovsk document, then, which so far as the Ukranians are concerned is signed and agreed to on both sides, the Central Powers have created a new state of considerable size, likely to endure and to become a willing partner in any Mitteleuropa scheme, which is economic rather than political. In dividing Russia in half the Germans have created a natural ally, and furnished this ally with real reasons for alliance in the future. Ukrania may then easily replace Italy in the Triple Alliance, if this alignment persists after the war.

Lithuania, on the other hand, is a fit state. It is highly artificial; it has no real excuse for existence, and it can be of no permanent importance save only for that time in which German armies are able to garrison its cities and carry out the will of the German minority. It deprives the Poles of one of their ancient outlets upon the sea, and it likewise throws the frontiers of Northern Russia back from the free waters. It is unmistakably an expression of the old-fashioned idea of following up a victorious war by the seizure of provinces of the enemy, without regard to the rights or the desire of the inhabitants.

As to Poland, the Germans have designed to leave only a mutilated fragment, deprived of all outlet upon the sea; deprived of much territory whose population is predominantly Polish—both Russian and German territory. Even if Galician Poland is added to Russian, there will be made only a beginning of the real Poland; it will be at best a faint promise. Yet the liberation of sixteen or seventeen million Poles will be step toward the final restoration of that tragic people to freedom. As was said of Napoleon's treatment of the Poles, this step either goes too far or not far enough; it gives the basis for hopes it does not realize, and by not realizing them it opens the way to new conflicts. But for the moment this Polish state is to exist on the map, bound by German bonds, even though it be nominally an Austrian dependency.

No one should be deceived by any German propaganda into believing that a real Poland has been created. The new scheme does not in any sense provide the Polish people with the basis of free existence. It is mrely a plan for postponing a final settlement of the Polish question and freeing Germany of all charge of annexations on this side of Europe. But actually Lithuania and Poland will be two more subject states, each containing the seeds of a new European conflict.

How Rumania Is Strangled.

In addition, there is discoverable in the Brest-Litovsk plan the basis for a settlement with Rumania. This unhappy state is to receive the Russian province of Bessarabia, and in return is to be compelled to give up the Dobrudja, which contains its only seaport, Constanzo. By this exchange Bulgaria, the advance agent of the Central Powers, will be placed on guard at the mouth of the Danube, and the whole of the south bank of this stream, from the Iron Gates to the Black Sea, will be in the hands of Czar Ferdinand. And

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American Flyer Tells How He Shot Down Two of Three Enemy Planes

Joseph Stehlin Says "Grouch" at Getting Up at 4:30 A. M. Caused Him to Attack Germans and Win War Cross.

This is the fifth and concluding article of a series by Joseph Stehlin of Brooklyn, N. Y., Lieutenant in the French flying corps, describing his experiences during three years of air-fighting. Only 19 years old when he joined the Lafayette Escadrille, he was the youngest pilot in the French army when he began fighting, though even younger men are in the service now. He has resigned his French commission and has just returned to Brooklyn to seek a commission in the American aero corps.

By JOSEPH STEHLIN.

I GUESS it was the grouch I had at being on the early morning patrol that won me the War Cross. Had I been flying on patrol three hours later I probably would not have thought of breaking away from my formation and taking on three German two-seaters alone. Airmen, like other men, are apt to be cross at 5 in the morning. It was tough on the Germans I brought down, but lucky for me.

We got the order of service at dinner the evening before. We had finished eating and were chatting, wondering whether tomorrow would bring more patrol, or diverting special duty in the way of protecting observation machines. One of the pilots stepped out of the room, and in a moment returned with the typewritten sheet upon which we were posted for tomorrow. Talking stopped while 30 ears pricked up expectantly.

The pilot leveled a forefinger at me.

"Stehlin — five o'clock patrol," he read and laughed. He knew, as did most of the others, that I liked an extra 40 winks in the morning. When the laughter at my expense had subsided, he read the rest of the order. Three others had the same assignment. It meant early to bed and early to rise without making any of us especially healthy (certainly not in the French service), wealthy or wise.



JOSEPH C. STEHLIN.

We early men were all more or less peeved at our luck. But by 8 o'clock we were in bed and had forgotten it.

Cold, Cheerless Drizzle.

A cold, cheerless drizzle made 4:30 in the morning a time to ruin the temper of a saint—and I was none. The orderly had to shake me three times to get me up. I lay three, five, ten minutes more, and then rolled out to gulp down the cup of fast cooling black coffee he had brought, and scrambled into my clothes. I started for the hangars on a dead run.

We made our getaway in semi-darkness, spiraled to 2000 meters, and hit out for the lines in patrol formation. By the time we reached the lines we had climbed to nearly 5000 meters and were headed straight into the rising sun which, to its everlasting discredit, always insisted on rising in Germany.

Once in range of the German "Archies" we began snaking, weaving a pattern across each other's trails, which, if marked with ink or thread, would be like the four-strand near-military braid the women are wearing on their war-fashion tailored coats. My machine was following the other three.

Sets Out After Germans.

Suddenly, in the edge of the yellow glare of the sun, I saw three Germans flying about a kilometer inside their own lines. It wasn't customary to break out of the patrol formation, but it wasn't customary for me to get up at 4:30 in the morning either. I had gotten up "on the wrong side of the bed," I guess.

I pulled out of the course the others were flying without attempting to attract their attention, and started to cut across the trails of the three German machines. I wanted to get between them and the sun. By their elongated tail fins I recognized them as Rumplers—two-seated fighting planes, in which the machine gun is mounted on a rail running around the rear cockpit. The pilot has nothing to do but run his engine, and the gunner has nothing to do shoot. The exhaust pipes carried up in front of the pilot and over the upper plane to get the gas out of the pilot's face makes a forward machine gun, such as I had fixed on the hood of my Nieuport chasse plane, impossible.

I got well behind and above them without being seen. Then I piqued downward on the last of the three, and as soon as I had him ringed in the big sights of my mitrailleuse I opened fire, spraying bullets across the plane and back, the way a whitewing sprays the street, making sure to get it all wet.

Nothing much happened that you could see. The Rumpler just pitched forward in a nose dive and went down like a stone the whole 4500 meters to the ground. I had no time to watch him all the way, however. Out of the corners of my eyes I had seen things doing.

Gray Trail of Bullts.

I had come down so low that the second Rumpler was above me. He started to attack me as I had his partner from above.

"Tack-tack-tack-tack" I heard his gun sputter. I saw thin gray trails go streaking past me. That gray smoke meant incendiary bullets. At night they would have glowed. They were compounded of phosphorus and were meant to explode my petrol and burn me up.

My little Nieuport was nimble. I was able to execute a reinversement—which simply means that I turned around—so quickly that when I banked around again I was behind him.

I got in only a few shots that time, for he did the same thing and got behind me. We were circling like two fishes chasing each other around an aquarium.

The third Rumpler must have been piloted by a green man, for it took very little part in the fight. It hung around on the outside, maneuvering slowly, and getting a few shots in at me when it could. Several times I heard its machine gun rattle and once

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SIMONDS EXPLAINS GERMAN-MADE STATES IN WEST RUSSIA

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it is well to remember that for the Mitteleuropa conception the Danube, with its canals connecting it with the Rhine, the Elbe and the Oder, is the very lifeline of communications.

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Effect on War.

As to the effect of this agreement upon the world war, certain things are at least clear. As soon as communications can be restored—surely before next winter—the food problem of the Central Powers will be solved. Ukrainia and Rumania will be the granaries of the Central Alliance, and the danger of starvation, the perils of long-continued privation, will be abolished. Germany and Austria will not have the old specter of actual want at their doors when the winter of 1918-19 comes, even if the war is still going on.

In the second place, Germany and Austria will be freed from making any military effort in the East. They will have to keep many troops along their new frontiers and in the states they have created. Particularly in Poland and Lithuania will they need large garrisons, both to keep out the Bolshevik invader and to repress the rising of those who will seek to obtain for these lands a real, as contrasted with a paper, freedom.

But Germany will gain some divisions of troops. All her heavy and most of her field artillery, all her munitions, can be diverted to the Western front; and the prisoners which come back from Russia when the exchange is completed will give her fresh supplies of labor, even though they do not furnish many new recruits. The majority of the troops available for use upon the Western front have long ago been sent; they cannot be estimated at much above 300,000, and this is not a great reinforcement. But the relief from an Eastern danger, the immediate increase in labor, the eventual increase in food supplies—these are great gains.

Gain of Military Party.

So for a limited period of time is the access of confidence among the German people that the war may yet be won on the West as it has been on the East, and Belgium and industrial Northern France be transformed into a new Lithuania and a second Poland. The military party has plainly gained a temporary support by bringing to a successful conclusion the Eastern war and by marking its victories by such changes on the political map as every German will recognize amount to tremendous accessions of territory and population, whatever the fiction of self-determination which seeks to conceal the fact by the phrase.

But without minimizing the serious effects of the eastern settlement, and they are very serious for the allies, it is necessary to emphasize the corresponding weaknesses. Brest-Litovsk showed that the Germans were in fact seeking annexations. Trotzky and Lenine held on just long enough to expose to the western world the hollowness of the German pretensions. Britain, France and Italy will recognize in the fate of Russia the purposes of the Germans with respect to themselves. It must nerve these nations to still more desperate effort when they perceive that defeat means dismemberment such as has overtaken Russia. And in the same way the element in Germany—and it is ever increasing—which desires peace and does not believe the western victory possible, will be fortified by the revelation that the prolongation of the struggle is due not to the necessity of defending Germany, but to the appetite of the military party for new conquests in the west and new victories in the field. This military party is sufficiently strong to have its way at the moment, but another Verdun might shake its power thoroughly.

Austria's Position.

Yet the Austrian phase is far more important at the moment. Austria was forced into the war by the fear of ultimate Russian domination not alone of the Balkans, but of the Slav population of Austria. Her defeats in the opening years of the war compelled her to surrender first her military and then her political independence. Only with German help could she repel the Russian, the Rumanian and the Italian. While she needed this help she had to pay for it in obedience to Berlin.

Today the several perils have vanished. Russia is eliminated, not for a moment, but probably for many years—forever if the Ukrainian state endures and develops as it may develop. Rumania has become a helpless fragment. Whatever happens now, the King of Rumania, deprived of Russian aid, removed from all communication with the allies, must bend his knee to the Hapsburgs. Hemmed in between Ukrainia, Bulgaria and Hungary, Rumania has no chance to resist now; nor is it easy to see how she can again escape from the domination of the Hapsburgs, whatever semblance of political freedom she may retain.

As for Serbia, it has become a name, a thing that was. It cannot be restored to any contemporary strength even if the map of 1914 be reconstituted, and without Russian aid Serbia was never a real danger. Indeed, until the change of dynasties after the shocking assassination of the last of the Obrenoutches, a few years ago, Serbia was a vassal of the Hapsburgs, and it would seem it might become such again. In any event, Austria has nothing more to fear from Serbian agitations directed at her southern Slavs. This issue has been settled, for the moment at least, by the Russian collapse and the conquest of Serbia.

Change in Italy.

Finally Italy is no longer an aggressor marching upon Trieste. It is Venice, not Trieste, which is in danger and, now that the perils on all other fronts have been abolished, Austria may well deem herself able to deal with Italy. Even the French and British armies now on the Piave line may be recalled if the German attack in the west makes material progress. In any event, Italian ap-

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When listless, pale, feverish, with tainted breath, a cold, or a sore throat; if the child does not eat, sleep or act naturally, or has stomach-ache, indigestion or diarrhea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the waste matter, bile and fermenting food will pass out of the bowels, and you have a healthy, playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their "insides" sweet and wholesome.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of genuine "California Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," made by the California Fig Syrup Co., which has directions for babies, children of all ages, and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle.—ADV.

Dr. E. R. VAN BOOVEN, Dentist





Over Child's Restaurant — Opposite Famous

614 OLIVE ST.

These City Physicians Explain Why They Prescribe Nuxated Iron

To Make Healthier Women and Stronger, Sturdier Men

NOW BEING USED BY OVER THREE MILLION PEOPLE ANNUALLY

By enriching the blood and creating thousands of new red blood cells, it often quickly transforms the flabby flesh, toneless tissues, and pallid cheeks of weak, anaemic men and women into a glow of health. Increases the strength of delicate, nervous, run-down folks in ten days' time in many instances.

It is conservatively estimated that over three million people annually in this country alone are taking Nuxated Iron. Such astonishing results have been reported from its use both by doctors and laymen that a number of physicians in various parts of the country have been asked to explain why they prescribe it so extensively, and why it apparently produces so much better results than were obtained from the old forms of inorganic iron.

Extracts from some of the letters received are given below:

Dr. Ferdinand King, a New York Physician and Medical Author, says: "There can be no strong iron men without iron. Failor means anaemia.

"Anaemia means iron deficiency. The skin of anaemic men and women is pale; the flesh flabby. The muscles lack tone, the brain fags and the memory fails and they become weak, nervous, irritable, dependent and melancholy. When the iron goes from the blood of women the roses go from their cheeks.

"In this most common of troubles of America, the starches, sugars, table syrups, candies, polished rice, white bread, soda crackers, biscuits, macaroni, spaghetti, tapioca, sago, farina, degerminated cornmeal, no longer is iron to be found. Refining processes have removed the iron of Mother Earth from these impoverished foods, and silly methods of home cookery, by throwing down the waste-pipe the water in which our vegetables are cooked, is responsible for another grave iron loss.

"Therefore you should supply the iron deficiency in your food by using some form of organic iron, just as you would use salt when your food has not enough salt."

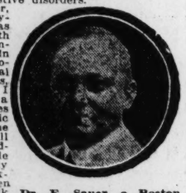
Dr. A. J. Newman, late Police Surgeon of the City of Chicago and former House Surgeon, Jefferson Park Hospital, Chicago, in commenting on Nuxated Iron, says: "It has been my particular duty during the past six years to assist in keeping Chicago's 5000 bluecoats in good health and perfect fighting trim so that they would be physically equipped to withstand all manner of storms and the ravages of nature's elements.



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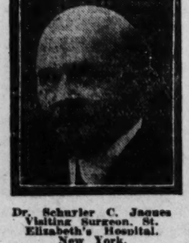
"Recently I was promoted through an endorsement of Nuxated Iron by Dr. Schuyler C. Jaques, Visiting Surgeon of St. Elisabeth's Hospital, New York, to give it a trial. This remedy has proven through my own tests of it to excel any preparation I have ever used for creating red blood, building up the nerves, strengthening the muscles and correcting digestive disorders."

Dr. E. Sauer, a Boston physician, who has studied both in this country and in great European Medical Institutions, says: "As I have said a hundred times over organic iron is the greatest of all strength builders. If people would only take Nuxated Iron when they feel weak or rundown, instead of dosing themselves with habit-forming drugs, stimulants and alcoholic beverages, I am convinced that there are thousands who might readily build up their red blood corpuscles, increase their physical energy and get themselves into a condition to ward of the millions of disease germs that are almost continually around us. It is surprising how many people suffer from iron deficiency and do not know it.



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"If you are not strong or well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary nuxated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous, run-down people who were ailing all the while increase their strength and endurance in from 10 to 14 days' time while taking iron in the proper form, and this, after they had in some cases been going on for months without getting benefit from anything. Many an athlete and prizefighter has won the day simply because he knew the secret of great strength and endurance which comes from having plenty of iron in the blood, while many another has gone down in inglorious defeat simply for lack of iron."



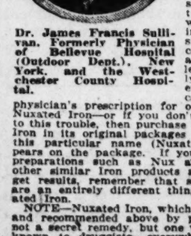
Dr. Schuyler C. Jaques, Visiting Surgeon of St. Elisabeth's Hospital, New York.

Dr. Schuyler C. Jaques, Visiting Surgeon of St. Elisabeth's Hospital of New York City, said: "I have never before given out any medical information or advice for publication, as I ordinarily do not believe in it. But in the case of Nuxated Iron I feel I would be remiss in my duty not to mention it. I have taken it myself and given it to my patients with most surprising and satisfactory results. And those who wish quickly to increase their strength, power and endurance will find it a most remarkable and wonderfully effective remedy."

Dr. T. Alphonsus Wallace, a physician of many years' experience in this country and who has been given many honorary titles in England, says: "I do not make a practice of recommending advertised medicinal products, but I have found Nuxated Iron so potent in nervous, run-down conditions, that I believe all should know of it. The men and women of today need more iron in their blood than was the case 20 or 30 years ago. This because of the demineralized diet which now is served daily in thousands of homes and also because of the demand for greater resistance necessary to offset the greater number of health hazards, to be met at every turn."

Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly physician of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.), N. Y., and the Westchester County Hospital, said: "I have strongly emphasized the necessity of physicians making blood examinations of their weak, anemic, run-down patients. Thousands of persons go on year after year suffering from physical weakness and a highly nervous condition due to lack of sufficient iron in their red blood corpuscles, without ever realizing the real and true cause of their trouble. Without iron in your blood your food merely passes through the body, somewhat like corn through an old mill with rollers so wide apart that the mill can't grind.

"But in my opinion you can't make strong, healthy, successful, sturdy iron men by feeding them on metallic iron. The old forms of metallic iron must go through a semi-digestive process to transform them into organic iron—Nuxated Iron—before they are so ready to be taken up and assimilated by the human system.



Dr. James Francis Sullivan, Formerly Physician of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.), New York, and the Westchester County Hospital.

"Notwithstanding all that has been said and written on this subject by well-known physicians, thousands of people still insist in dosing themselves with metallic iron simply, I suppose, because it costs a few cents less. I strongly advise readers in all cases to get a prescription for organic iron—Nuxated Iron—or if you don't want to go to this trouble, then purchase only Nuxated Iron in its original packages and see that this particular name (Nuxated Iron) appears on the package. If you have taken preparations such as Nux and Iron and other similar Iron products and failed to get results, remember that such products are an entirely different thing from Nuxated Iron.

NOTE—Nuxated Iron, which is prescribed and recommended above by physicians, is not a secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, make them black, nor upset the stomach. The manufacturers guarantee successful and entirely satisfactory results to every purchaser, or they will refund your money. It is dispensed by Judge & Dolph Drug Co., Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Kieffer Drug Co., Johnson Bros. Drug Co., Pauley's Drug Stores Co., Enderle Drug Co. and all good druggists.—ADVERTISEMENT.

Cowhide Leather Bags and Suitcases

Buy your Spring Luggage at great reductions. Look at our Sixth Street window for Monday's bargains.

Trunk Dept., 4th Floor

Lowest Prices Our Chief Attraction.

Schaper STORES CO

6th and Washington

$3 LACE CURTAINS

Beautiful assortment of patterns to select from; a large line of high-grade madras, Saxony, filet nets, Marquisettes, white and ecru; 2½ to 3 yds., at (3d Floor)..... $1.00

19c Scrim — Allover patterns, lace and hemstitched borders; will launder well; beautiful light Summer designs; special, only (Third Floor)..... 9c

50c Shades — Made of good opaque cloth, mounted on guaranteed rollers; special (Third Fl.)..... 29c

MILL REMNANT SALE OF WASH GOODS, ETC.—Main Floor

Mill Remnant Sale of Silks

Mill Remnant Sale of Silk Poplin, in assorted colors; per yard..... 49c
Mill Remnant Sale of Satin Messaline, in all colors; per yard..... 59c
Mill Remnant Sale of 40-Inch Crepe de Chine; extra quality; good length; per yard..... $1.19
Mill Remnant Sale of 36-Inch Silk Taffeta, in plain and fancy stripes; per yard..... $1.29
Mill Remnant Sale of Silk. This lot includes Poplin, Messaline, Foulards, and all wanted Silk; per yard.... 87c
Mill Remnant Sale of Wool Serge; plenty of navy and black; per yard..... 49c
Mill Remnant Sale of 36-Inch Sateen, in all colors; per yard..... 15c
Mill Remnant Sale of 36-Inch Jap Silk, in assorted colors; per yard..... 22c
Mill Remnant Sale of New Spring Voile, in plain and fancy designs; per yard.. 15c
Mill Remnant Sale of Silk Eolie Crepe; extra quality; per yard..... 22c
Mill Remnant Sale of Zephyr Gingham; 32 inches wide; in plain and fancy stripes..... 19c

Mill Remnants of White Goods, including Dimity, Flaxon, Poplin, Organdy and Suiting; 36 in. wide; per yard. 15c
Mill Remnants of Ready-Hemmed Napkins; made of good quality mercerized damask; 6 for..... 63c
Mill Remnants of Heavy Satin Table Damask; 58 in. wide; worth 69c per yard; special, per yard..... 35c
Mill Remnants of Crash Toweling; 18 inches wide, with fast colored border; per yard..... 10c
Mill Remnants of Knitting Bags; made of extra good quality creton, in assorted colors and patterns; each. 25c
Mill Remnants of Dresser Scarfs; made of good quality linene; trimmed in filet insertion and edging; each. 25c

RIBBON BARGAINS

We have just received a great lot of Satin Ribbons, in all good colors including black and white; values up to 25c yard; on sale, per yard, 10c, 7½c and..... 5c

75c NECKWEAR

Monday we will place on sale a sample lot of Collars and Sets, including organdy, satin, pique, Georgette crepe; special, each..... 29c

10c FILET LACE

The very much called for Lace; now in many beautiful patterns; special for Monday only, per yard..... 5c

10c DRESS SNAPS

In various sizes; come in black or white and one dozen on card; per doz..... 4c

A Sale of Sample Gloves



Ladies' Silk Gloves at almost half the actual price; values up to $1.25; gray, black, brown, white and other colors; of the best silk; double tip fingers; double clasps; a wonderful bargain for Monday (Main Floor)..... 69c

Men's Shirts



Considering the market prices on Shirts, we feel safe when we say these Shirts are of extraordinary value. These Shirts are $1.00 values of laundered cuff Shirts; all sizes and wonderful patterns. This is a new lot just received. We offer them to the public Monday at the special price of..... 59c

New Voile Waists



Tailored and tucked, some allover embroidery, voile and organdie combinations; large lace trimmed and roll collars, lace trimmed sleeves, all sizes. Specially priced for this sale, 69c

STRIPED VOILES

Corded and Striped Voile in many different colors; large sailor collars and finished with good pearl buttons; sizes 38 to 46; wonderful value..... 44c

UNTRIMMED HATS

Of Untrimmed Shapes, a large sample lot of shiny straws and hemp; all new shapes and colors. Do not miss this sale.

Second Floor (Special) 98c



NEW FLOWERS

New novelties in Flowers, Fruit and Wreaths, in all the new Spring colorings; a large variety to select from; sale price..... 25c

SILK SKIRT SALE

SILK PLAIDS
SILK STRIPES PLAIN SILKS

VALUES UP TO $8

Every Skirt of the finest taffeta and newest Spring models, with fancy pockets, gathered waist lines and belt and fancy trimmed, all sizes

$3.50 AND $4.98



SILK DRESS SALE

Georgette Sleeve High Waist Effect



These are remarkable values in new silk Spring Dresses, made of chiffon taffeta with silk or Georgette sleeve; colors are navy, brown, green, Pekin blue, rose, Burgundy and tan; all sizes (Second Floor),

$10.00

WALL PAPER SALE

Did you ever save? Did you ever buy a bargain? Come here Monday and see these papers. Save half.

4c a Roll. Dainty stripes and allover effects for bedrooms; browns and greens for parlors, also set figures and blocks for kitchens; all are values of 10c.

6c a Roll. Papers printed on good heavy stock; some are embossed; these are suitable for your best rooms and values of 16c.

EXTRA SPECIAL

8c a Roll. Beautiful two-tone stripes, also some on sunproof stock. These are a bargain at 15c. Monday only at 8c.

8c Oatmeal Papers, 30 inches wide, with beautiful cut-out border to match; values of 20c.

Paperhangers furnished at lowest prices if desired.

$2.50 Gas Stove, 2-Burner, $1.69



200-ft. roll Poultry or Fence Wire; 4 ft. high, 2-in. mesh; heavy galvanized (4th Fl.)..... $1.69

150-ft. roll Poultry or Fence Wire; 3 ft. high, 50 ft. long..... $1.29

Wire for Baby Chickens, per yard..... 7c

Garden Hoe and Rake combination (Fourth Floor)..... 29c

Floor Brooms; long handle, 9 to 11 o'clock..... 29c

Wash Boilers; heavy block tin, with lid. 79c

Clothesline; 50 ft. long; special..... 19c

$1.50 Clothes Wringers; iron frame; special..... 79c

$3.00 Clothes Wringers; iron frame, relief spring, guaranteed rolls; special..... $1.49



Lace Curtain Stretcher; 4x12 ft., adjustable pins; special. $1.98

Clothespropes; 8 ft. tall; 3 for..... 29c

Triangle Oil Mops, with long handle..... 25c

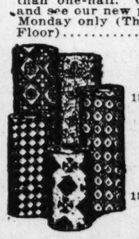
70c Gray Granite Teakettle; special for..... 49c

$5 Mission Lamps; for gas or electric; beautiful art glass shade; complete. $2.98



60c LINOLEUM

Just received a carload of an extra heavy grade Linoleum, in all latest Spring patterns; 100 or more to select from; patterns all 1918 styles; 100 or more yards to each customer; cut from full rolls. This is your only chance to save more than one-half. Come up and see our new patterns. Monday only (Third Floor)..... 29c



Linoleum Hall Runners 18 inches wide, with pretty green border on both sides; yard..... 25c

Matting Door Mats 18x36 inches; extra heavy grade; Monday, 9c, or 3 for..... 25c

$30 Axminster Rugs

In regular room size, including 9x12; brown, green, tan and blue coloring, in floral, Oriental and medallion designs. Except for a slight mismatching of patterns or a small flaw these could not be bought for double what we ask for them tomorrow..... $14.98

$15 Brussels RUGS

In regular room size; bright, cheerful pattern in red, tan and blue colors; very special for Monday, $12.98

$12 Wool Fiber Rugs

In 9x12 size; light and dark colors; can be used on both sides; 9:00 o'clock Monday, $5.98

$45 Axminster RUGS

9x12 Kirman, Yonkers, Brentmore and Carlton brands, in two-tone colors, also Oriental and Persian designs; a splendid opportunity to buy a high-grade Rug at a low price here Monday, only $24.98

$1 DINING CHAIR



Full size golden oak finish, turned spindle, solid seat, high back, Monday, each 79c

$4 Arm Rocker; high back, saddle seat, golden oak finish; Monday at..... $1.98

$9 All-Felt Mattress; full 40 lbs.; neatly tufted; art floral ticking; special Monday..... $4.98

$2 Sewing Rocker; turned spindle, well braced, golden oak finish; Monday.. $1.39

$3 Mattress; combination felt-top Mattress, covered with striped ticking; all sizes; special, Monday .. $2.98

BASEMENT—Mill Remnants, Seconds and Sample Sale SPECIALS

Children's Specials—Sleepers and Gowns, made of pink and blue flannelette; sizes to 6 years; while they last at (Basement)... 19c

Ladies' Fleeced Vests—High taped neck, long sleeves; regular 40c value; special at (Basement)..... 15c

Lace Curtains—White, 2½ yards long, floral design (Basement).. 49c

Underwear — Boys' heavy flat fleece and rib shirts; sizes to 32; no phone or mail orders (Basement).. 19c

Women's and Children's Hose—Black only, slight seconds; of 15c value; 10 to 11 a. m. only.. 7½c

Dressing Sacques — Made of pink and blue chambray; also of crayperole with figures, piped in white, elastic belt (Basement).. 39c

Mill remnants of extra fine twill Toweling; 12½c value; special, yard (Basement)... 7¾c

Mill remnants of extra fancy sport Rice Cloth; assorted colors and patterns; regular 29c value; special, per yard..... 12½c

Mill remnants of fine Lawn and Batiste; 25c values; special, yard (Basement)..... 12½c

Mill remnants of assorted black goods, Lawns, Voiles, Satteens, Linings and Serges; special (Basement)... 9¾c

Mill remnants of extra fine Khaki Cloth; just the thing for sport blouses; value 40c; special (Basement)..... 12½c

Mill remnants of 36-inch Percales; good assortment of patterns; cut from bolt; special (Basement)..... 19c

Mill remnants sale of extra good grade Soisette; good colors; just the thing for middies; value 40c; yard..... 12½c Basement.

Mill remnants of laces and Embroideries; values up to 5c; special (Basement), yard..... 2½c

SHOES, 98c

Women's, Misses' and Children's Shoes; values up to $2.50, including high and low Shoes, patent, gunmetal, vici kid leathers; high or low heels (Basement)..... 98c

Boys' $2 Shoes

Gunmetal Button Shoes; for boys; sizes to 11 (Basement)..... 98c

Sample Waists; a beautiful assortment of Sample Wash Waists, in voiles, organdies and lawns; values up to $1.50; special (Basement).. 59c

Spring Hats; largest assortment of fine Spring Millinery to be found anywhere for the special price (Basement).. 98c

Buy Thrift Stamps.

Nugent's

Central 3900 Olive 3900

A Special Lot of

Hats on Monday



New Hats at $5

We are specializing in Hats at this price and Monday you will learn what specialization has done. Such smartness! Such variety! Such quality! A charming variety at

$5.00

(Second Floor.)

Sale of Silks

From Morris Wolf & Co., Chicago, One of America's Foremost Importers and Converters

Only Through Business Relations of Long Standing Are We Favored—as Merchants Far and Near Are Eager for These Silks

These silks are various lengths and full pieces—remains after Spring orders are filled and where cutting of full pieces was necessary—beautiful new silks at unexpected low prices.

$2.50 and $3 Crepe Meteors
Monday, **$1.88**
40 in. wide; satin or dull finish; soft and clinging; new Spring shades and black.

40 and 36-Inch Foulard Silks
Monday, **$1.69**
Made to Sell for $2.50 and $2.00
Satin and Silk Foulards; one of the favorite Silks for Spring wear; various colors and designs.

$2 Crepe de Chine Shirtings
Monday, **$1.55**
32-in. Satin-Stripe Crepe de Chine Shirting Silk; heavy splendid quality—an endless array of styles and colors.

32-Inch Tub Silks
Monday, **$1.00**
Beautiful heavy quality; white grounds with colored satin stripes. Made to sell for $1.35 a yard.

$3 Black Radium Taffetas
Monday, **$1.95**
40 in. wide; lustrous, soft clinging quality; an ideal silk for dresses and waists.

Yard-Wide Silk Failles
Monday, **79c**
Made to Sell for $1.25
Stripes and printed effects for skirts and dresses, in tans, grays and blues.

$1.50 Satin Messalines
Monday, **$1.19**
Yard-wide soft Satin Messalines for dresses and waists, in navy blues, brown, green, gray and tan shades.

$2 Satin Stripe Taffeta Silk
Monday, **$1.55**
Yard wide, beautiful satin-stripe Taffetas—the kind that is being used so extensively for the new Spring Skirts.

$3 Silk Poplins
Monday, **$1.69**
40 in. wide; white grounds, with dainty designs for skirts and dresses; lustrous, beautiful quality.

(Main Floor.)

Here Is Welcome News for St. Louis Women

A Sale of Spring Coats at $16.50



The manufacturer intended these to retail for $25.00 and $35.00—and rightly so, and ordinary circumstances would bring these prices, but this was a price concession from the manufacturer to our Coat Chief. The wonderful savings are for you.

The same Coats that you planned to pay much more for—and they are well worth it!

Covert, poplin, serge, mixtures, silvertones, basket weave, velour in blue, black, tan, Copen., taupes, gray, Pekin, khaki and black.

All the smart new belt effects, collars and pockets, with stitchings, buttons and buckles. Linings are half-way or full-way and they are good substantial fabrics.

$1.25 Union Suits
Monday, **89c**
Men's, perfect fitting, white lisle thread; long sleeve, ankle length.
(Main Floor.)

40c Cotton Hose
Monday, **29c**
Women's outsize Cotton Hose, with ribbed tops; double heels and toes; high spliced heels; seamless; medium weight; 8½, 9 and 9½.
(Main Floor.)

Extra Blankets for the Boys!
Regular Army Blankets..... **$10**
Regular size, also 66x84 inches. These have been very hard to obtain, as the mills are working on Government work. A wonderful opportunity.
(Second Floor.)

$2.98 Lingerie
Monday, **$2.19**
Philippine Gowns, Chemise and Envelope Chemise; hand embroidered designs, scallops and eyelets; some slightly soiled; assortment of sizes to 44.
(Fourth Floor.)

Women's Aprons
Monday, **95c**
Light percale, figured and striped; front closing; wide belt; pink tabs; all sizes.
(Downstairs.)

55c Gray Wool
Monday, 2 Skeins for **85c**
Gray All-wool Knitting Wool; 2-oz. skeins.
(Fourth Floor.)

$1 & $1.25 Rompers
Monday, **75c**
Chambray Rompers for girls or boys; gathered or loose knee; ages 3 to 5 years.
(Fourth Floor.)

Women's Shirts
Monday, **$1.49**
Striped Jap. silk, in a variety of stripes; all colors; high or low neck; sizes 36 to 46.
(Downstairs Store.)

$2 Silk Hose
Monday, **$1.29**
Women's Black Silk Hose with silk tops; double soles and toes, high spliced heels; full fashioned; medium weight; all sizes.
(Main Floor.)

White Kid Gloves
Monday, **$1.79**
Women's 1-clasp light weight fine Kid Gloves; very select quality; dainty embroidered backs in self or contrast. Buy your Easter Gloves now.
(Main Floor.)

$3.50 Petticoats
Monday, **$2.69**
Petticoats of taffeta, excellent quality, flounce trimmed with ruffle; elastic fitted waist in an assortment of changeable effects.
(Fourth Floor.)

$15 Electric Vacuum Cleaners
Monday, **$10**
Ideal for rugs and draperies; powerful suction; easily operated and highly efficient. One year guarantee.
(Third Floor.)

$4.00 Crepe de Chine Blouses
Monday, **$2.95**
Hemstitching, fine pin tucks and pearl button trims; dainty fitting cuffs; tailored sailor collars; colors white, flesh, maize and a few gray in the lot.
(Second Floor.)

$30 and $37.50 Baby Carriages
Monday, **$24.75**
These are our floor samples—slightly soiled. Some are all reed, others have wood bodies with reed or leatherette hoods.
(Third Floor.)

Dorothy Dodd SHOES $2.50
These Shoes Were Made to Sell for $5.00 and More
Black kidskin, lace and button style. The assortment of sizes and widths is good—styles are up to date and the kind in daily demand.
(Fourth Floor.)

Thousands of Lace Curtains in a Stupendous Sale

Samples and odd lots from one of the largest mills—new—elegant—and much underpriced—

$3.00 and $3.50 Marquisette Curtains, Monday $1.95
Finished with Cluny and Rococo lace edge and insertion, mounted on durable quality Marquisette; 2 and 2½ yards long .....

$4.00 and $5.50 Filet and Cluny Curtains, Monday, $3.69
Fine quality net, lace edges and insertions; stylish patterns; white or Arabian color; 2½ yards long.

$4 and $4.50 Marquisette Curtains, Monday, $3.33
2½ yards long, trimmed with Savoy lace edge and insertion; mounted on heavy quality Marquisette; ivory or Arabian color.

$5.50 and $6.00 Cluny Curtains, Monday, $3.90
Wide insertion and edge appliqued on extra heavy cable net; ideal for living, dining room or library hangings; 1 5-6 and 2 yards long.

$4.00 and $4.50 Renaissance Curtains, Monday, $2.58
Finished with lace and insertion, mounted on best quality French cable net; white or Arabian color 2 1-6 yards long.

$5.50 Novelty Net Curtains, Monday, $3.88
Trimmed with wide insertion and lace edge, mounted on best grade French cable net; 2½ yards long.

$3.00 Marquisette Curtains, Monday, $1.68
Lace edges and insertions, mounted on splendid quality plain mercerized Marquisette; 2 and 2½ yards long.

$5.50 Filet Weave Curtains, Monday, $3.68
Reinforced edge; 2½ yards long; made of the best yarn; neat border styles; plain or figured patterns; white or Arabian color.

$7.50 Marquisette Curtains, Monday, $4.60
An excellent novelty design, handsome corner motif and Marie Antoinette effect, finished with linen lace and insertion; 2½ yards long.

$5 Marquisette Curtains, Monday, $3.18
Trimmed with neat picot edge and 6-inch Filet insertion, appliqued on an extra quality plain Marquisette; 2½ and 3 yards long.

(Second Floor.)



$15 Felt Mattresses
Monday, **$10**
These are built of all pure sanitary sheet felt; weight 45 lbs.; Buckingham and tan herringbone ticking; roll edge; diamond tufted and rounded corners; full bed size.
(Fourth Floor.)

$2.00 Pillows, Monday, $1.78
Filled with clean feathers, covered with art ticking; 19x27-in.

$4.50 Pillows, Monday, $3.90
Filled with new renovated odorless choice geese and duck mixture feathers; covered with fine art sateen and striped ticking; 20x27-in.
(Second Floor.)

$7.50 Felt Combination Mattresses, Monday, $6.20
Covered with twilled art ticking; roll edge; wood fiber center with thick layer felt on each side; full size.

$12.50 Layer Felt Mattresses, Monday, $8.90
Built of all layer felt; 45-lb. weight; roll edge; covered with art ticking; full size.

$5 Bed Springs, Monday, $4.45
Guaranteed for 20 years; made of the best wishbone fabric; helical ends; wide side bands; 3½-in. riser; full size.
(Fourth Floor.)

75c Plaid Suiting
Monday, **39c**
36-inch Suiting; light and dark colors; plaids, stripes.
(Downstairs.)

Seconds of 85c Linoleum
Monday Sq. Yd..... **65c**
4-yard wide real Cork Linoleum in hardwood and tile designs; full rolls to select from. The imperfection is very slight. Please bring your room measurements.
(Third Floor.)

$1 Stamped Gowns
Monday, **75c**
Stamped Gowns in assorted attractive designs; nice materials.
(Fourth Floor.)

65c Flowers
Monday, **39c**
Silk Roses, Berries, Buds, Fruit Foliage, etc.—suitable for early hats.
(Millinery Dept., Second Floor.)

$2.00 and $2.50 Sample Lingerie
Monday, **$1.29**
Sample Gowns, Petticoats and Envelope Chemise of fine nainsook, trimmed with fine laces, medallions and embroideries; assortment of sizes.
(Fourth Floor.)

$1.25 Garment Shields
Monday, **90c**
Kleinert's Tupair Brassiere Garment Shield; brassiere with two pairs detachable dress shields.
(Main Floor.)

95c Box Stationery
Monday, **72c**
24 gold edge correspondence cards.
24 sheets writing paper.
48 envelopes.
An exceptionally fine quality white lawn stock; all in one box.
(Main Floor.)

$2.00 Shirts
Monday, **$1.55**
Men's splendid patterns, coat style, well made, perfect fitting; madras, 80 sq. percales, Russian cords, Japanese crepes and other high-grade materials; all sizes; French turn-back or stiff cuffs.
(Main Floor.)

Child's Dresses
Monday, **50c**
Babies' first short white Dresses and Petticoats; made of lawn with assorted trimmings of embroidery.
(Fourth Floor.)

$1.65 Sheets, Monday, $1.50
Hemstitched Sheets made of good bleached cotton; size 81x99 inches.
(Second Floor.)

$2.00 Sheets, Monday, $1.75
Exra size, 90x99-in. bleached Cotton Sheets; heavy quality.

$1.00 Puff Boxes or Hair Receivers, Monday, 85c
White Ivory Puff Boxes or Hair Receivers; large size.
(Main Floor.)

$7.75 Marabou Neck Fixings, Monday, $5.75
Stoles and Capes; made of long flue marabou; some trimmed with ostrich.
(Main Floor.)

$1.00 Nail Buffers, Monday, 85c
White Ivory Nail Buffers; removable chamois, with Ivory Tray.
(Main Floor.)

Seconds of $1.00 Combs, Monday, 65c
White Ivory Dressing Combs; large size; heavy quality.
(Main Floor.)

$2.25 French Serge
Monday, **$1.75**
44-in. best all-wool double warp Serge; made from the finest Botany yarns; correct dress weight; close twill. Colors navy blue, plum, Burgundy, African brown, wistaria or taupe gray.
(Main Floor.)

Cream Union Linen Table Damask 79c
66 in.; heavy and firmly woven; Monday .....

Table Damask; 72 in.; highly finished, bleached, mercerized, neat floral patterns; Monday, yard..... **79c**

Satin Table Damask; half linen; 72 in. wide; bleached; Monday, yard.. **$1.45**

Rugs!!

These prices will appeal to homemakers—and come at a time when new Rugs are needed.

$47.50 Alexander Smith's Seamless High-Grade Wilton Rugs; patterns in late Oriental and allover designs; size 9x12 ft. Monday **$39.85**

$39.75 Alexander Smith's Seamless Good Quality Axminster Rugs; choice shades in two-tone effects and Persian allover patterns; 9x12 ft.; Monday..... **$35.00**

$17.75 W. J. Sloane's Tapestry Brussels Rugs; medallion, Persian designs; a good rug for the price..... **$13.65**

$60.00 Bigelow Hartford's extra quality high-grade Wilton Rugs; choice designs in Persian and small figured effects; 9x12 ft.; Monday... **$53.75**

$39.75 Bigelow Hartford's extra quality close-weave Axminster Rugs; splendid selection, in choice patterns; 9x12 ft.; Monday..... **$35.00**

S. Sanford & Son's high-grade Axminster Rugs; splendid selection of patterns; 36x70 in.; Monday **$5.90**

$11.95 Reversible Willow Grass and Fiber Rugs; heavy grade; nice bright patterns; Oriental and bordered effects; 9x12 ft.; Monday **$9.90**

$37.50 Bigelow Hartford's seamless style Wilton Velvet Rugs; neat designs in Oriental, medallion and allover patterns; 9x12 ft.; Monday **$32.60**

$18.75 Alexander Smith's seamless, medium grade Tapestry Brussels Rugs; suitable patterns for bed or dining rooms; 9x12 ft.; Monday **$18.60**

S. Sanford & Son's seamless super-quality Axminster Rugs; choice attractive Oriental and allover patterns; suitable for small rooms or reception halls; 6x9 ft. **$25.00**

$2.25 S. Sanford & Son's super-quality Axminster Rugs; Oriental, Persian and allover designs; 22x36 in.; Monday..... **$1.95**

$10.00 Reversible Close-Weave Fiber Rugs; desirable selection of bright Persian and bordered patterns; 8x10 ft.; Monday..... **$6.95**

$12.00 Reversible Wool and Fiber Rugs; desirable patterns for bed or dining rooms; 9x12 ft.; Monday **$9.90**

(Third Floor.)

10c Snap Fasteners
Peet's Hooks and Eyes or American Lady Hair Nets; choice, 5c.
(Main Floor.)

$1.00 Skirt Markers, Monday, 75c
Parisian Skirt Markers; adjustable; japanned iron base.
(Main Floor.)

$1.00 Caps, Monday, 79c
Men's and Young Men's Golf Caps, in new Spring patterns; all well made; splendid materials.
(Main Floor.)

What's Your Size?



If You Wear Suits or Overcoats Between Size 32 and 40

A Clothing Snap Awaits You Here

Too Many Small Sizes

These have been selected from our higher priced lines—some garments selling **as high as $25.00.** Think of buying these **at half price**—all go on sale tomorrow at

$12.50

Many of the Suits can be worn all the year round, and could not be purchased wholesale at $12.50.
(Third Floor.)

DOWNSTAIRS

Wash Cloths, 7c Each
Turkish—seconds of a good quality; colored borders. Made to sell for 12½c.

Crash Toweling, 11c
17-inch brown Crash Toweling.

Longcloth, 12c
2 to 5 yard lengths of soft finished Longcloth; 27 in. wide.

Embroidered Voile, 17c
3 to 10 yard lengths of Voile; white grounds with white and colored embroidered figures; 27 in. wide. Made to sell for 35c.

Chambray Gingham, 19c
3 to 10 yard lengths; plain blue, fancy plaids and checks; 32 in. wide.

Dress Percales, 19c
Seconds; white and colored grounds with neat printed stripes and figures; 36 inches wide.

Nainsook, 19c
A fine sheer quality; soft finish; 36 inches wide. Made to sell for 25c.

Madras Shirting, 24c
Colored madras Shirting; white grounds with printed colored stripes; a good quality for men's and boys' shirts. 32 inches wide. Made to sell for 35c.

Bath Towels, 37c Each
Turkish Bath Towels; seconds; white and colored borders. Made to sell for 50c.
(Downstairs.)

$1.25 Pique Vests, Monday, 85c

Mannish effect with low collar ornamented with beautiful buttons.

$1.25 Boudoir Caps, Monday, 85c
Boudoir Caps made of crepe de chine, silk, satin or lace allover, daintily trimmed with ribbon in a variety of styles.

$1.50 Stocks Reduced to 79c
Lace Stocks and Jabots made in a wide range of beautiful styles, some made of silk laces.

25c Linen Collars Reduced to 10c
Linen Coat collars of stiff finish in various stylish shapes so much used at present.
(Main Floor.)

HOME NEEDS

Paints, Oils and Sundries

25c O'Cedar Oil	19c
50c O'Cedar Oil	39c
75c O'Cedar Oil and Dust Mops	59c
$1.25 O'Cedar Oil and Dust Mops	95c
25c Bottle of 11th Hour Furniture Polish	19c
75c O'Cedar Wool Counter Dusters	59c
$1.50 A1 Quality Chamois Skins	$1.19
50c Wool Sponges	35c
$1.00 Horse Hair Floor Brushes	79c
29c Packages of Gold Dust	24c
5c Cans of Lighthouse Cleanser, 3 cans for	10c

(Downstairs.)

SIMONDS EXPLAINS GERMAN-MADE STATES IN WEST RUSSIA

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proach to Trieste is not to be feared at present.

Accordingly Austria, having achieved all that she hoped to achieve by this war, both in abolishing immediate and eventual perils, can gain nothing by a prolongation of the struggle. She is ready for peace and has no desire to annex territories. She has agreed with the Ukrainians to preserve the old Russo-Austrian line in Galicia, the Polish settlement will create a Poland, technically at least outside Austrian frontiers, while with respect to Serbia and Italy, Austria has no appetite for annexations. Therefore the Austrians are not likely long to bear the burdens of prolonged conflict, merely to enable the Germans to hold Brussels or Lille, to annex the Belgian coal fields, or the French iron districts. Least of all are they likely in the face of domestic protest and incipient disorder, to dispatch Austrian troops to the western front and pay a blood tax for German territorial ambitions. On the contrary, Austria seems likely more and more to follow an independent policy and to escape from complete German domination.

Much Will Endure.

It would be foolish to blink the fact that much that has been agreed to at Brest-Litovsk will endure. Ukrainia cannot be abolished by any later allied victory, nor can it be easily torn from its natural adhesion to the Central Powers. Poland may, as a result of later allied victories, gain a greater measure of independence, and an extension of territory, but it is not easy to believe that allied victories will be of such dimensions as to compel Germany to cede Posen and the Danzig strip of West Prussia to this new state, and without both Poland will hardly achieve its natural rights.

On the other hand, it may be that the Lithuanian monstrosity may fall, that the German people will not continue to fight on when they perceive peace impossible as long as they hold Riga and Libau. Yet there is, at the least, a fair possibility that this arrangement may also endure, since the lands affected are beyond the reach of allied fleets or armies and Russian disorders are such that Russia can neither help nor become a welcome ally for the people of these provinces who must be at last as fearful of the Trotzky-Lenine war upon capital, the Bolshevik class war, as of the German domination, which, if it brings abuses of a certain kind, will bring order and material prosperity.

In sum, therefore, I believe we have seen at Brest-Litovsk one of the great and historic deliminations of European history, some portion, some considerable portion of which is destined to endure and all of which may constitute as important a fact in Slavdom as did the treaty of Luneville in the Germanic world. It may be the last will and testament of the empire of Peter the Great, which Trotzky and Lenine accepted, but did not sign at Brest-Litovsk.

The western world has rightly discounted the military bearing of this arrangement for a long time. It will not be great, since the actual collapse of Russia as a military factor occurred long ago. Far more important is the matter of food. At no distant date Germany and Austria will escape from the shadow of famine. This is the worst phase of all for the allies.

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AMERICAN FLYER TELLS OF SHOOTING DOWN TWO ENEMY

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or twice saw little splinters tear themselves loose from my fuselage.

By partly looping the loop and twisting right side up at the upper part of the circle I came above my principal opponent again and got a fine bead on him.

"Spat, spat, spat," went my gun.

German Plane Blown Up.

The German observer stood up in his place, leaned over the side and slipped out of his safety trap downward, turning over and over as he fell. I watched him go. Then there was a flash and his whole machine seemed to burst into flames and fall to pieces at the same time. It was as if the shell had blown it apart. It was the fuel tank exploding. One of my incendiary bullets had hit its mark. I did not see what became of the pilot.

I looked for the third Rumpler, and saw him getting away as fast as he could. The moment I was in the sky alone the "Archies" began shelling me as hard as they could to get revenge for their lost airmen.

Now that the fight was over I found that I was covered with cold sweat. I was frightened, too, though I had not known it while the fight was on. And I was tired, I wanted to get home.

Had Been Reported Missing.

It was only a short distance back to our lines. The whole thing had been in sight of the men in our trenches. I flew home and planed down to a landing just a little after the rest of the patrol got in. I found that they had reported me missing, thinking I had been brought down. They did not know of the fight. Had it not been seen by the men in the trenches, and had there not been a lot of bullet holes in the wings and fuselage of my machine, there would have been no way of proving that I had had a fight.

An officer in the trenches reported the whole combat to my commander and he recommended me at once for the Cross.

The Cross? Oh, that came about two weeks later. Our escadrille had been shifted to the Verdun sector then. There was a square of soldiers, an officer who called us out one by one and pinned the crosses on our coats with a few words of thanks. Thank heaven, they don't kiss as much as they used to.

And there was a band.

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at Attractive Prices

Everyone knows that the prices of woolen materials has advanced, and further increases are expected on account of the scarcity of wool and the increased cost of manufacture.

Buy now for future needs—you are practising economy in doing so.

At $1.50 Yd.
Tweed Mixtures, 54 inches wide.
All-wool Storm Serge, 42 inches wide.
All-wool Plaids, 40 inches wide.
Imported Mohair Tussah, 40 inches wide.
Black and White Shepherd Checks, 54 in. wide.
Striped Mohair Skirting, 54 inches wide.

At $2.00 Yd.
Silk and Wool Poplin, 40 inches wide.
Imported Scintella, 40 inches wide.
All-wool Novelty Plaids, 40 inches wide.
All-wool gray and white Checks, 48 in. wide.
Mo-aire Gabardine, 42 inches wide.

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At $1.25 the Yard
Mohair Armure, 42 inches wide.
Mohair Wool Shadow-stripe Poplin, 44 in. wide.
All-wool imported French Crepe, 42 in. wide.

At $1.50 the Yard
All-wool Storm Serge, 42 in. wide.
Imported Melrose Gabardine, 43 in. wide.
Imported Mohair Brilliantine, 44 in. wide.

At $2.00 the Yard
Mo-aire Gabardine, 42 in. wide.
Silk-and-wool Poplin, 40 in. wide.
Empress Epingle, 44 in. wide.
Imported Mohair Sicelian, 54 in. wide.

Wool Dress Goods Shop—Second Floor.



New Spring Suits

For Women and Misses

$24.75 to $35.00

The inspired genius of the foremost Paris courtiers and our personal encouragment and collaboration with the rising "Petite Maisons," the Newer School of Design, have endorsed this collection of exquisite creations.

Simplicity and beauty are the dominant notes.

Wonderfully smart types created for a discriminating clientele, unusual style touches, typical of "Vandervoort's" are represented in the various groups.

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The Materials Are—
Baronet Satin, Roshanara Crepe, Shantung, Ruff-A-Ruff, Silvertone, Trycotyne, Poiret Twill, Gabardine, Mixtures, Mannish Hairline Stripes and Serges.

The Shades Are—
Rose, tan, gray, beige, taupe, Russian Green, Navy and Blacks.
Sizes 36 to 50.

Women's and Misses' Suit Shop—Third Floor.

New Oriental Rugs

We have just received an importation of hearth-size Oriental Rugs; original designs that appeal to those who seek exclusiveness in their home furnishings.

The beautiful blending of colors is a feature that the artistic eye will surely appreciate, and we suggest that you make your selection from this lot as additional importations are very doubtful until after the war.

The average size of the Rugs are 4 ft. x 6 ft., and the prices range from **$60.00 to $85.00**

Hamadan Mats in a beautiful selection of artistic color combinations in sizes that average 2'3"x3'6", that would regularly sell for $25.00, special **$17.50**

Axminster Rugs, size 9x12 ft., in allover and medallion patterns, regularly $40.00, special **$29.75**

Velvet Hall and Stair Carpet in small Oriental patterns and self-tone colors, the yard **$1.50**

New Linoleum, printed patterns in tile and hardwood designs, the yard **75c to 95c**

Linoleum, 12 ft. wide, a special lot, that would regularly sell for 95c, special, the square yard **68c**

Inlaid Linoleum in all the new tile, block and hardwood patterns, the square yard **$1.25 to $2.25**

Rug Shop—Fourth Floor.



A Special Showing of New

Philippine Underwear at $2.98

Philippine Envelope Chemise in many new and very attractive patterns of hand-embroidery and scallops. A splendid selection at **$2.98**

Philippine Nightgowns with beautiful hand designs and scallops and eyelets; many new patterns to choose from, at **$2.98**

Undermuslin Shop—Third Floor.

A Special Sale of

CUT GLASS

50c and $1.00

More than 1000 pieces in this special sale, all hand-cut on clear glass blanks, in many pretty floral designs.

Among the Items at These Special Prices You Will Find:

Compotes — *Jugs*
Celery Trays — *Vases*
Nappies — *Candlesticks*
Mayonnaise Sets — *Salt and Pepper Shakers*
Cheese and Cracker Dishes — *Spoon Trays*
Guest Sets

This Sale Takes Place on the First Floor, Special Table.

Great China Sale

All of Jaccard's China and a special lot of real Hand-Painted China on sale at

HALF PRICE AND LESS

Special, Monday

Service Plates—10 inches in diameter, with beautiful blue and gold border decorations, all hand work. Regular $1.00, special tomorrow, each,

50c

China Shop—Fourth Floor

New Lace Curtains and Portieres



Our showing of New Lace Curtains and Portieres is very complete. The latest Imported and Domestic patterns are shown, including New Point Milan, Point de Geuge, Duchesse and Irish Point Curtains, as well as our direct importation from St. Gall, Switzerland. The prices range from

$3.95, $5.50
$6 Upwards to
$18 the Pair.

New Imported Tambours, Net Curtains, in new designs, for the drawing room, mounted on pure Egyptian Nets in 2½ and 3 yard lengths, the pair **$12.00, $15.95, $21.75** up to **$28.00**

New Brocade and Damask Portieres in two-toned effects, a beautiful selection in rich colorings, the pair **$4.00** to **$8.00**

Short Lengths of Upholstering Material, in 1 to 3 yards, splendid variety of fabrics **⅓ to ½ off**

Squares of Tapestry, Velours and Damasks, for chair seats, at a saving of **50%**

Cretonnes in endless variety, the yard **25c, 35c** and **50c**

Two-tone Drapery Madras in blue, brown, green and mulberry, 32 and 36 inch widths, the yard **45c** and **65c**

Marquisette Hemstitched Lace Edges, makes a finished curtain requiring only a hem at the bottom, the yard **30c**

Special!

Quaker Lace Curtains in Filet weaves and Filet designs, some with plain centers and others in small allover designs; ecru and ivory colors; a limited quantity at, the pair **$2.25**

Colored Bordered Scrim makes very effective border curtains, 36 inches wide, cream and ecru, the yard **15c**

Marquisette and Voile, 36 inches wide, in white, ecru and ivory, the yard **20c**

Curtain and Drapery Shop—Fourth Floor



Gray Hair Goods at 25% Discount

—as well as all other shades.

Not a single Hair-piece in our entire stock will be reserved—whatever you select, no matter what the color or price may be, a liberal discount of 25 per cent will be allowed.

If you know the difficulty of trying to dress **thin hair** becomingly you should be here tomorrow to take advantage of this

25 Per Cent Saving

Mail Orders Will Be Very Carefully Filled.

Hair Goods Shop—Third Floor

Special—

Boys' Wash Suits



In plain and fancy stripe; good fitting and becoming styles for the little folks; sizes 3 to 8 years.

While they last $1.69

First Floor Tables.

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One and two piece styles, made of madras, percale and soisette, in plain and fancy colors and trimmed with silk frogs; sizes 4 to 18 years.

Special tomorrow $1.00

First Floor Tables.

The Best New Books on the War

Holding the Line. By Sergeant Harold Baldwin.	$1.50
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A Crusader of France. Translated from Letters of Capt. Ferdinand Belmont.	$1.50
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Book Shop—First Floor.

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Splendid quality cotton pattern Tablecloths, with choice circular floral patterns; copies of some of the best imported Linen Cloths, in the following sizes:

64x64 inches, each $2.50
72x72 inches, each $2.75
72x90 inches, each $3.50

21-inch Napkins to match, the dozen **$2.75**

Glass Toweling in blue or red stripes and checks, 17 inches wide, The yard **15c**

Heavy quality Unbleached Dish Toweling, 17 inches wide, part linen, The yard **15c**

Linen Shop—Second Floor.

A New Note in

Jersey Sweater Coats

$10.00 $12.75 $15.00

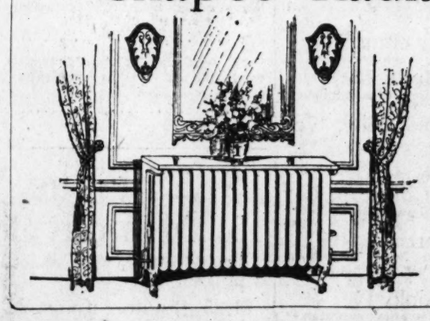
Among the new Sweater Coats for Spring is the sleeveless English Sport Coat, cut on straight, mannish lines—the English sport style—very well tailored.

The styles may be had in plain Copenhagen, khaki, green, navy and black, as well as Heather mixtures.

Sweater Shop—Third Floor.

Are your walls streaked with soot and dust caused by the use of soft coal during the Winter months? If so, why not prevent this in the future by the installation of

Shapco Radiator Shields



¶ Remember, Winter and soft coal burning days are not over. Why not decide now to add this labor-saving device to your furnishings?

¶ *Shapco Radiator Shields add to the appearance of the rooms—they are sanitary and they prevent the soot from destroying the beauty and attractiveness of your home.*

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Save Money—Save Time—Save Labor
and do away with the unsightly appearance of the rough radiators.

Decorating Shop—Fourth Floor.



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The Government needs the men who are now making your clothes to help win the war. Assist your Government by doing this sewing yourself, and if you have no sewing machine, see our splendid showing.

Ask to see "The Free"—"New Home" and various others. The "Free" Sewing Machine is unquestionably the most wonderful Sewing Machine manufactured today. It is the lightest running machine made, containing six complete sets of ball bearings.

The "Free" is the most beautiful Cabinet Sewing Machine and takes up the least space. The "FREE" Machine carries a guaranteed bond against accident, and must give you satisfaction.

Specials for Monday

$25.00 "Silver Star" (The Free make) for **$19.75**
$35.00 "Domestic" Drophead Machine for **$19.75**
$66.00 "Free" Cabinet Wax Oak (sample) **$49.00**
$58.00 "Free" Drophead (sample) for **$46.50**
$75.00 American Walnut Cabinet (a very beautiful 1918 model), slightly marred **$63.00**
$60.00 Standard Rotary for **$37.50**

Sewing Machines Repaired

If your Sewing Machine needs repairs, phone us and we will call for it and do the needed repairing and return it to your home in first-class running order for a moderate charge. Estimates given before doing the work.

Sewing Machine Shop—Fourth Floor

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Olive and Locust from Ninth to Tenth

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Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified cocoanut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at any pharmacy, it's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.—ADV.



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Send six cents in stamps for sample and pyorrhea booklet.

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HOW THE U. S. IS TAKING HYSTERICS OUT OF HOG ISLAND

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done. Forty-one of those ways are under construction. Twenty-one are more than half completed. On one a keel is laid. Two other keels can be laid almost immediately.

There are six ways between 70 and 80 per cent completed. There are 12 ways between 50 and 70 per cent completed. The ways are ahead of general 30 per cent average for the plant. A total of 28 out of 50 are more than 30 per cent finished. Since Rear Admiral Bowles took hold the finishing of the tracks which will serve the ways where the first ships will be built has been made a prime consideration.

The pile-driving figures in shipway construction are enormous. More than two weeks ago a total of more than 33,000 piles had been driven. The pile drivers also are ahead of the general average. More than 40 per cent of their work is done.

Against the intolerable ice handicap the work on the outfitting piers has suffered. But even there pile driving is going ahead now. What is more, the pier facilities will be even better than the original specifications called for. One of the first decisions of Admiral Bowles after he took charge on the ground was to the effect that the outfitting pier appropriations were not sufficient. He has increased them while he was cutting into other appropriations that seemed too great.

Industries Mobilized for Production.

Ship production reaches far from Hog Island. Hog Island is merely an assembling plant. Ship production reaches into the drafting rooms. It reaches into the mines of Lake Superior. It reaches into the steel factories. It reaches into the coal regions. It touches vitally, and is virtually affected by hundreds of industries. Ninety-five per cent of the building of Hog Island ships will be done outside. Hog Island is an assembly plant—perhaps the biggest in the world. If only 30 per cent finished, Hog Island, nevertheless, has put motion into the 95 per cent "outside."

Hog Island will build two kinds of ships. It will build 50 ships of 7500-tons burden. As these leave the ways their places will be taken by the keels of ships designed to carry 8000 tons. There will be 70 of the larger ones—120 in all of both small and large—the 935,000 tons which are to render fruitless a sixth of the Kaiser's ruin. On both of these types the drafting rooms are finished.

But these ships have progressed far beyond the "paper" stage. For the 120 ships 95 per cent of the material had been ordered. Manufacturers of all but one-twentieth of the material to be used at Hog Island know now what they must produce and when. They are producing or they are bending all their efforts to begin production at the earliest possible moment. They know what to do next, and the "go head" signal has been flashed.

Hull steel, hull fittings, machinery—under none of these three great classifications into which the material for the fabricated ship program is divided, does anything remain to be requisitioned, but the most incident, the least essential. Throughout the country inspectors are keeping tab of what the plants are doing to fill these orders. There are complaints, of course. A new work cannot be "letter perfect." But, on the whole, the Government is satisfied.

Thirteen Ships Next November.

Two keels are called for by that "not impossible" schedule, to be laid down this month. The first was, in fact, laid before its time was ripe. Four are called for in March. April and May should see five each laid down. June should see eight. Thereafter the number of the smaller ships begins to taper down because the 8000-ton ships will begin to take up space on the ways. Two of the great keels are due to be laid in April. By November and December they should be laying one every three days.

There should be three 7500-ton ships finished in Sepember. There should be 10 in October and 13 in November. The last should set out on her maiden voyage in March, 1919. The last of the 70 big ships should be finished by July, 1919. These achievements are, by expert authority, "not impossible." They are also without doubt terribly difficult.

But approximations to this schedule will not be so difficult. The Government realizes that in this game even schedules are incidentals. It will not lose its head if a ship is three weeks late. It will go on building ships—making Hog Island build ships.

Seventy per cent of Hog Island is yet to be built. Some things have happened at Hog Island recently since Admiral Bowles arrived.

Twelve miles of railroad planned for the yards have been eliminated from the specifications. The road-building energy, instead, has been concentrated on the tracks which serve the ways where ships are to be laid down first.

Energy has been concentrated on the ways which will be used soon. "Get the ways built on time," have been Admiral Bowles' orders. The Government does not care about spending money to finish ways before steel can come in. The Government prefers to use that money where it will count—or else save it.

Night work, except what is essential, has been stopped. Unusual overtime schedules for workmen have been stopped. The Government does not care to pay double time for inefficient labor by 16-hour-a-day men.

Sunday work has been stopped. "If they don't get Sunday off they'll take some other day," said Admiral Bowles.

Men have been laid off by the thousand. "When we need to go ahead with that work we'll use men who have finished the more essential jobs first," said the Admiral. Still more thousands have been shifted to the jobs which the Government regards as essential. "We want everybody to work where he can do the most good," said the Admiral.

The executive force of the American international corporation which is doing the building is moving down to the island as fast as it can be moved. The Admiral wants the bosses to be where thay can see the job.

Orders have been canceled when they could not be justified as promoting the sole end of this proposition—turning out the ships. Officials, high and low, have had to prove their usefulness or go. Appropriations, like labor, have been switched where they could count most for shipbuilding.

The Government, contrary to a good many precedents, has saved itself millions in these last two weeks on its own construction proposition. And it has saved them not by slowing up the ultimate ship program, but by speeding it up.

The contractors made their mistake at Hog Island in assuming that it was like a cantonment job; that 50 shipways had to be finished 50 at a time. They tried to do it all at once. They ordered material, they mobilized labor on the assumption that it all had to be done all at once. Right and left the "hurry up" fever struck the contractors low. Their organization ceased to be a construction organization. It became an organized competition in headlong speed. Hog Island got "hysterics."

The Government is here taking the "hysterics" out of it. The Government does not care about the mistakes that have been made here. It will abrogate the contract of the American International Corporation if it feels that those mistakes will be repeated, and if it feels that they will not be repeated it will not abrogate the contract. The Government does not care these days about the abrogation of contracts either per se or as a means of rebuking capitalists.

The Government cares about only one thing—getting that other 70 per cent of Hog Island finished—and then 100 per cent power on shipbuilding.

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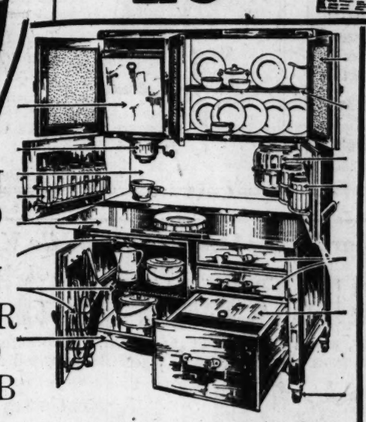


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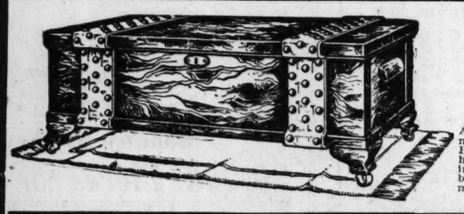
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LIVELY PROGRAM FOR THE COLISEUM ATHLETIC CARNIVAL

Experts From Jefferson Barracks Will Demonstrate Modern Bayonet Work.

BLOCKS OF TICKETS SOLD

Various Organizations to Attend Benefit for Soldiers' and Sailors' Club in Body.

A rehearsal will be held at the Coliseum Wednesday night in preparation for the Municipal Athletic Association's carnival to be given next Saturday night for the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club in the Post-Dispatch Building, which is operated under the auspices of the War Camp Community Service Board and supported principally by the women's organizations of the city.

Fraternal orders, athletic clubs and civic organizations will be in attendance at the carnival. Boxes will be occupied by Mayor and Mrs. Keil, city officials, and patronesses, many of whom are the hostesses of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club. The Elks, have taken 500 seats. The Loyal Order of Moose has reserved 200 seats and will march to the Coliseum in a body. The Missouri Athletic Club, Rotary Club, Forest Park Golf Club, Grotto Zouaves, Turners' societies, Knights of Columbus, city hall and municipal courts attaches, Women's Auxiliary of the Twelfth Engineers, and commercial organizations are among those who will have large blocks of seats.

Many Participants.

Participants in the carnival will represent St. Louis and Washington universities, Sunday schools, grammar schools, high schools, parochial schools, Knights of Columbus, turners' societies, Young Men's Hebrew Association, Young Men's Christian Association and Boy Scouts.

The program in general will follow the plan of a three-ring circus and there will be something doing every minute in every part of the Coliseum. Aside from the program in the arena the track and field events will fill a generous space. Municipal championships in low hurdles, high jumps, yard dashes and other events will be run off.

Something Novel in Prizes.

The victors in the contests will be given their prizes after the formation of the human flag in the midst of a grand patriotic rally. Something novel is promised in the announcement that American flags bearing ribbons and proper insignia will be given for the relays. For track events outside of relays the prizes will be wreaths and ribbons.

Those who will go to the rehearsal are the De Andreis Council of the Knights of Columbus Zouaves, the Grotto Zouaves, buglers, leaders of the human flag, the Jefferson Barracks band and the Turners societies.

The De Andreis Council of the Knights of Columbus Zouaves are under the direction of Thomas Lyster and the Grotto Zouaves are commanded by Carl Dingler. They will both put on attractive drills. Wednesday night will be the first time that the leaders of the human flag will come together for a united rehearsal under the direction of J. K. Stewart and Dr. Everhardt. Thirteen grown persons will be required to guide the formation of 380 Sunday-school children and Boy Scouts, which is to close the program. At the conclusion of the formation of the flag it is planned to have the singing of the "Star-Spangled Banner."

New Features of Program.

One of the new features of the program will be furnished by the Yeatman High School gymnastic team, which will do vaulting and pyramid building at one end of the arena. At the same time experts from Jefferson Barracks will go through bayonet work and there will be fencing and broad sword maneuvers by representatives of the Central Y. M. C. A., under the direction of C. B. Harrison, physical director.

Forty members of the Pilgrim Boy Scouts, Troup No. 2, are working hard to perfect a wall-scaling feat. The boys will use a wooden wall 12x15 feet, which they will put up and climb in 10 minutes.

An interesting part of the program will be a tug-of-war between members of the Police Department and the Division of Parks and Recreation. St. Louis and Washington universities will play the second game of a three-game series to determine the intercollegiate basketball championship of the city. Both schools have reserved large blocks of seats.

COSTUME CONCERT TO BE GIVEN

Choral Club Will Sing Songs of All Nations Except Germany.

A concert in costume of old-fashioned songs of all nations will be given Thursday night at the Wednesday Club auditorium by the Morning Choral Club, under the direction of Charles Galloway. The proceeds will be devoted to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club in the Post-Dispatch Building.

The entertainment will take the place of the annual fancy dress frolic which the club has given each year for its members and friends. There will be 21 numbers on the program, some choruses and others solos, duets and quartets, with all of the singers chosen from the club's membership. The songs selected represent the United States, France, England, Scotland, Ireland, Greece, the Aztecs.

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Nainsook, $2.69
36-in. "Priscilla" Nainsook for underwear; 10-yard bolts, $2.69.

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English Longcloth for children's wear and underwear; 36 in. wide; 10-yard bolts, $2.25.

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"Tootal's" extra fine imported Voile; 40 in. wide.

35c Nainsook, 29c
Superior grade, 36 inches wide.

Novelty Skirting, 50c
For sport skirts, yard wide. An extremely smart cloth that will make up very attractively.

Fifth Floor

Women's 19c Linen Handkerchiefs, 15c

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Main Floor, Aisle 4



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Seasonable Needs for

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38c Preserving Kettles, 4-quart size.....27c
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$3.25 Electric Irons, 6-lb. size, wit
$3.79 Laundry Stoves, No. 8 size...
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Large, heavy galvanized Tubs..... **97c**

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5-lb. packages, all shades..... **48c**

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Royal Granite Kettles, No. 8 size..... **67c**

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Keystone Lines, 60-ft. size..... **28c**

$3.05 Aluminum Coffeepots
"Aladdin" brand, 3-qt. size..... **$1.95**

For the Kitchen

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55c Coffee Mills, X-Ray brand, for the wall..43c
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Aladdin Aluminum

$2.40 Berlin Saucepans, Aladdin ware, 6 qt., $1.70
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60c 1-quart Paint..... ....48c
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25c Scrubbing Cloths.... .17c
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Bathroom Fittings

$2.10 Nickeled Towel Bars, 36-in. size.....$1.68
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Municipal Athletic Carnival—benefit the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club—Coliseum, March 2.

Rambler Rose—at the American Theater.

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Double soles and toes—lisle tops, high spliced heels. Slight irregulars.

Main Floor

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When you consider what the regular prices would be if based upon today's market value. A good Suit, as every woman knows, is one of the most serviceable garments that can be bought; and the increasing vogue for well-made Suits adds a large measure of interest to this unusual sale.

Tricotine *Tweed* *Silvertone*
Gabardine *Serge* *Hairline Stripes*
Poiret Twill *Poplin* *Small Checks*

Khaki *Beige* *Infantry Blue*
Sand *Rooky* *Gray and*
Tan *Navy* *Black*

All Sizes

The Garment Section, Third Floor



Last Four Days of the Worth-While Values of the Annual

FEBRUARY FURNITURE SALE

¶ The sale ends Thursday, with the closing of the month. It therefore behooves you to take prompt steps if you would benefit by the economies now permitted. Specially featured are—



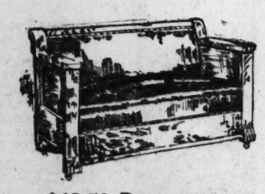
$150.00 Bedroom Suite
Choice of mahogany or American walnut. The set consists of large Dresser, full-size Bed, Chiffonier and Vanity Toilet Table. ***$125.00***



$69.00 Duofold Suites
Complete three-piece Suite. Davenette is quickly converted into a comfortable double bed; choice of quartered oak or fumed finish. Heavy imitation brown leather. ***$47.50***



$175.00 Dining-Room Set
This four-piece Queen Anne period set may be had in the mahogany, American walnut or the Jacobean finish. It consists of Buffet, Server, China Closet and Dining Table. ***$137.50***
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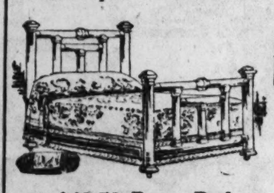
$32.75 Rockers or Chairs, *$25*
Upholstered in heavy tapestry. Tempered steel coil springs in seat and back.



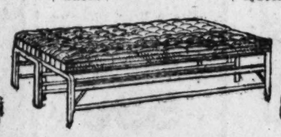
$33.75 Rockers, *$26.50*
Large English floor Rocker, upholstered in genuine brown leather. Chairs to match same price.



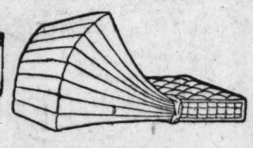
$125 Tapestry Davenports
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(Chairs to match, $41.00.)



$41.50 Brass Beds
The outside posts are of three inch stock; all filling rods are two in. thick. Satin finish; full size only. ***$34.75***



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A comfortable Couch that opens into a double bed. Mattress included. ***$21.50***



$16.50 Mattresses
Contains 45 lbs. of all layer cotton felt; good grade fancy ticking. Full rolled edge completely encircles the mattress. ***$12.75***
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Two-inch continuous post steel bed, with one-inch filling rods. Choice of white or vernis martin. Regular sizes.

$10.00 Tea Wagons, *$6.98*
Rubber-tired wheels, serving tray in oak, mahogany or fumed oak finish.

$2 Costumers, *$1.25*
¶ Made of solid oak — four metal hooks—wide base.

Tabourettes, *49c*
¶ Round top—made of oak, fumed finish. Regularly 60c.

$12 Rockers, $6.98
Made of fiber, finished in brown; seat and back upholstered in tapestry.

$8 Englander Springs, *$6.50*
Four extra steel slats support rust-proof linked top; guaranteed sag proof. Regular sizes.

Fourth Floor.

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¶ Fresh, hardy plants—all colors—a special lot secured to sell Monday at this low price,

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None Delivered. Main Floor



Monday in the February Sale We Feature

20,000 Pieces of White China Dinnerware

Bought to very profitable advantage—offered at extreme savings

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$13.75 Dinner Sets; 100 pieces; Ransom shape with bread and butter plates; while 80 sets last.. ***$8.50***

$7.00 Dinner Sets; 50 pieces; Ransom shape with bread and butter plates; while 54 sets last.. ***$4.52***

TEA CUPS AND SAUCERS—Worth $2.75 dozen—while 300 sets last and only two sets to a customer, set of 6 for **89c**

Vegetable Dishes

6-in. oval or round, 20c value.....12c
7-in. oval or round, 30c value.....18c
8-in. oval or round, 35c value.....22c

Meat Dishes

6-inch size, 15c value, at.....10c
8-inch size, 25c value, at.....15c
10-inch size, 35c value, at.....25c
12-inch size, 65c value, at.....39c
14-inch size, 85c value, at.....59c

Milk and Water Jugs

1 -pint size, 20c value, at.....15c
1¾-pint size, 25c value, at.....18c
2¾-pint size, 35c value, at.....22c
4 -pint size, 50c value, at.....29c
5¼-pint size, 60c value, at.....39c

Dinner Plates, Bread, Salad and Soup Plates

4-inch Bread and Butter Plates, 70c value, dozen.....53c
5-inch Pie Plates, $1.00 value, dozen.....69c
6-inch Salad Plates, $1.25 value, dozen.....75c
7-inch Dinner Plates, $1.50 value, dozen.....95c
8-inch Dinner Plates, $1.75 value, dozen.....$1.20
6-inch Coup Soup Plates, $1.25 value, dozen.....75c
60c Covered Butter Dishes.....45c
$1.00 Covered Casseroles.....75c
$1.00 Covered Dishes.....75c
75c dozen 4-inch Fruit Dishes, set of 6.....27c
20c Pickle Dishes.....14c
25c Sauce Boats.....25c

No phone, mail or C. O. D. orders accepted. None will be sold to dealers and quantities will be restricted.

This sale begins Monday morning at 8:30.

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"Baby's Prayer at Twilight" — A special music roll, offered by arrangement with the makers, at... 39c
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$2.10 Aluminum Berlin Saucepans — "Aladdin" brand, 4-qt. size $1.39

$2.48 Teakettles — Aluminum Kettles with cast spout; capacity 6 quarts $1.89

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$1.95 Coffee Percolators — "Ideal," blue enamel ware, 8-cup size $1.29

$4.50 Coffee Percolators — "Manning & Bowman," heavy gauge aluminum, 7-cup size $2.45

$26.95 Refrigerators — "Leonard," white enamel lined, side icing Refrigerators, capacity about 60 lbs. $16.95

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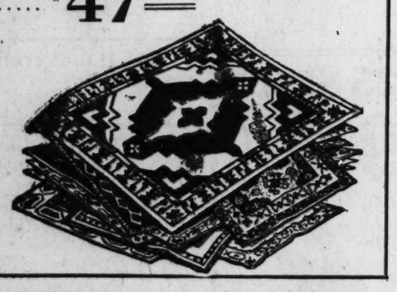
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Rich walnut finish cases — and the world-renowned Singer—easy-running mechanism. A notable opportunity for those who'd like to own one of the very finest Machines on the market.

White Rotary Cabinets $45.00
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All Machines have attachments and are guaranteed for 10 years. Sold on our Club plan.

FREE—Golden Oak Sewing Rocker, with all machines purchased Monday.

Fifth Floor

SPRING WALL PAPERS

A comprehensive collection of them is already at your service here—and our competent salespeople are equipped to help you to make your selection pleasurably and satisfactorily.

Please bring the size of your rooms with you when you come, so we can approximate the cost of the paper.

New papers arranged for Monday's special display at, per roll—

4½c 6½c 8c 9c 10½c

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Monday, in the Basement Economy Store, a Most Astonishing Sale of a Famed

Manufacturer's Surplus Stock of Lace Curtains

We are confident we are well within the truth when we say that no sale of this magnitude has been offered to St. Louis shoppers in many a day. It came about through an amazing purchase which we concluded with a prominent mill, and to these extraordinary savings we have added a good slice of our profit—making these prices quoted Monday as low as you'll be likely EVER to see them.



We Have Reserved the Right to Restrict Quantities. None Will Be Sold to Dealers—Sale Begins at 8:30.

To $2.00 Curtains, Filet and Nottingham weaves, plain or allover centers. Twenty-five patterns to select from. 2½ and 3 yards long. **98c**

To $2.50 Curtains, Scotch Nets and Filet Nets, in white, ivory and beige color. Suitable for any room in the house. **$1.29**

To $3.25 Curtains, Pr., $1.69
High-grade Curtains at the price of ordinary ones. Lovely scalloped edge Scotch Laces, Battenbergs and Brussels effects, for living rooms, parlors and guest chambers. White, ivory and beige colors.

To $3.75 Curtains, Filet effects and Scotch Nets, of Egyptian yarns (insuring durability). Pretty new border effects included—white, ivory and beige. **$1.98**

To $1.50 Curtains, Nottinghams, woven double-thread style, with overlocked edges. Plain or figured centers, white or beige. **79c**

To $4 Curtains, Pair, Scotch and Filet patterns—this season's new designs—from 2 to 6 pairs of a kind. White, ivory and beige color. **$2.49**

To $6 Curtains, Pair, Beautiful Scotch and Filet Net Curtains, closely patterned after the real Italian Filets, Renaissance and Saxony Curtains. **$3.49**

Quaker Nets
The genuine Quaker qualities, known to nearly all housekeepers as the best—

Values to 50c, Yard, 30c
White, ivory and beige color.

35c Cretonnes, Yard, 19c
New Spring patterns—many pretty patterns. For decorating rooms, making bags, etc.

25c to 50c Nets, 12½c
1200 yards of marquisette, voile and scrim curtainings, in short lengths.

Basement Economy Store

New Silk Foulards
Monday at, Yard. **$1.39**

Foulards, you know, are quite the smartest thing in silkdom—they're appearing everywhere this Spring, PARTICULARLY on suit and dress collars. See these pretty new designs tomorrow—36 inches wide.

59c Silk Crepe, 49c — 36-in. Georgette weave—new Spring shades.

$1 Satin Messaline, 69c — 26 inches—in wistaria and navy only.

Silk Shirting, 65c — Satin stripes on tan and white grounds—36 inches.

Plain Taffetas, $1.35 — 36 inches—chiffon finish—good shades.

$1.39 Crepe de Chine at $1.19 — 40 inches—box loom—all newest shades.

$1.69 Satin, $1.49 — Medium weight—soft finish—40 inches.

Printed Chiffons, 69c — Neat spray designs on white or light grounds—40 inches.

Basement Economy Store

Stunning New Street Coats
Featured for Special Selling Monday at This Very Low
Basement Economy Store Price **$14.95**



The Basement Store is ready with the new Spring fashions. And already the busy selling has started, for women don't need long to find out where the best values are.

The Coats we feature for Monday at $14.95 comprise Serge, Wool Velour and Tweed Coats in a host of smart styles, reflecting in detail the modes of the higher-priced models and exhibiting the lovely new colors. *One style pictured.*

Suits Featured at $19.50
Cut along the latest approved Spring lines—thoroughly dependable and practical—and very unusual at this low feature price. Plain tailored and new belted and plaited models, showing the high waist or Eton effect—in Serge, Gabardine and Wool Poplin.

Dresses Featured at $12.50
New tunic and drape models and the modified "bustle" treatment—in Taffeta, Crepe de Chine, Foulard and Satin, in the new shades (including the smart plaids and stripe combinations). Very special at $12.50. *One style pictured.*

Basement Economy Store



Genuine Lisere Hats!
(China Piping Straw)

Usual $3.00 to $3.50 Qualities —Monday at.. **$2.00**

Pokes, Mushrooms, Sailors, Side Rolls and Little Turbans.

Only a wing, a quill, a pompon or flower wreath, and you'll have a hat that is up to the minute, with a real "quality" look. In black, brown, navy, taupe, cherry, khaki. ALL SALES FINAL.

Basement Economy Store

NEW Spring Waists
New Voile Organdie and Batiste Blouses, expressing many of the newest fashion features found in Blouses selling regularly at $1.98 to $2.50. Many of the good plain tailored kinds as well as the frilly ones, with the new roll collars. Sizes 36 to 46. Two styles in extra sizes 48 to 54. **$1.79**

Basement Economy Store

Monday We Will Offer $20,000 Worth of Wanted

TOWELS, CRASHES & DAMASKS
In Odd Lots at Less Than Present Wholesale

No phone or mail orders accepted. None sold to dealers.

Round Scallop Cloths, 89c — 58x58 in. Highly mercerized tablecloths. Good patterns.

Huck Towels, 15c — 19x38-in. heavy "Connon Mills" huck, with red border. Slightly stained.

"H. S." Huck Towels, 19c — 50% pure flax; heavy quality; good size; slight seconds.

Unbleached Crash, Yd., 11c — Heavy with blue border; for kitchen or roller towels.

2000 Doilies, 6c Each — Round, with scallops in blue, pink or gold. Not more than 4 to a customer.

Wash Cloths, 5c — Heavy Turkish cloth; white with pink and blue borders. Only 4 to a customer.

70-In. Imported Damask, 99c — Could not be landed today at $1.25 per yard. Attractive finish and design. Not over 10 yards to anyone.

Table Sets, $4.50 — H. S. mercerized cloth with ¼ doz. napkins to match. Attractive designs.

Unbleached Toweling, 15c — Heavy quality; part linen; blue border.

Sample Scarfs, ⅓ Less — Salesmen's samples; all perfect but slightly soiled—embroidery and lace edge scarfs and centerpieces, ⅓ less, at 39c to $1.00

49c Turkish Towels, 35c — 20x40-in. heavy Towels with blue, pink or gold bands; slight seconds.

$2.75 Table Tops, $1.75 — 2x2 yards. Beautiful designs; heavy and serviceable. Only 2 to a customer.

Bath Towels — Good quality unbleached Terry cloth—slight seconds, at, each, 7½c, 11c, 15c.

50c Bath Towels, 38c — Extra heavy, double thread; blue or pink stripes. Slightly imperfect.

DOMESTICS
20% Under Today's Manufacturing Cost

We reserve the right to restrict quantities sold. No mail or phone orders accepted.

Amoskeag Romper Cloth, 32 in.	19c
36-In. White Voiles, Organdies, etc., remnants	11c
$1.65 Bed Sheets, 81x99, seamless, slight seconds	$1.00
42x36 Pillowcases, good quality, per doz.	$1.98
54x90 Bed Sheets—slight seconds	59c

Basement Economy Store

Men! 5000 New Shirts, Monday—

A fortunate purchase at substantially less than market prices—from some of the best makers in the country—offering surprising savings—Monday at..

85c

Negligee and laundered styles—stiff and soft French cuffs—splendid madras, percale, basket cloths or jacquard weaves—in stripes, checks and plain colors—sizes 14 to 17½.



Basement Economy Store

AMERICAN YOUTH TAKES NATURALLY TO THE AIRPLANE

Fact Revealed and Being Developed in Seven Training Camps in Texas.

FATALITY RECORD IS LOW

British Flyers at Fort Worth Lose Far More Than Any of American Camps.

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 23 (By A. P.)—The American youth has a natural aptitude for flying. It was revealed and is being developed in seven aviation training stations in Texas and during the winter, flyers have been turned out from them with a proficiency and in numbers that have fully satisfied the American officers and have proved almost startling to instructors from the allied armies.

There are six American and one British aviation stations in the State. The American camps are at Fort Worth, San Antonio, Houston, Waco, Dallas and Wichita Falls. At Fort Worth, the Royal Flying Corps, a camp of young Canadians trained by British officers, are in daily competition with the Americans in an adjoining camp.

A regard for military secrecy prohibits relating the total number of students who have taken to the air here this winter. It reaches a figure that gives great comfort to the military men who know, and compared with the total advancement made by the men, the number of accidents reported has been surprisingly small, it is stated.

In all seven camps, a total of 38 men have been killed in airplane accidents. The British flyers at Fort Worth have lost far more than any of the American camps. The high fatality record among the British, it is said, is the direct result of the more strenuous system of practice and drill which they use. Forty-three deaths have occurred at the two camps at Fort Worth, while Houston, next in the list, has had seven.

"They kill more at Fort Worth because they fly more," is the way a young aviation officer explained the great difference in the mortality lists. The young Canadians go into the air early for flights that are forbidden in the camps under United States control. They are taught the spirals, the dives and the loops that are a part of actual war flying and so it is that if their mortality list seems out of proportion to those in the other camps, the British officers are not displeased with the accomplishments of the men under them.

The San Antonio station has had three fatalities, Dallas two, Waco one and Wichita Falls two. Waco and Wichita Falls had perfect records until the week ending Feb. 2.

Several of the killed have been civilians or mechanics. In the early days of the American camp at Fort Worth, a mechanic was struck by a propeller when the engine backfired. There was a similar accident only recently when a college student examining an airplane which had landed on the campus of the Texas Christian University, got too near the propeller. He was struck on the head and killed almost instantly. At Denton, Tex., recently an aviator from Fort Worth stopped in a flight and was persuaded into taking a civilian as a passenger. The airplane had hardly cleared the ground when trouble came. The plane crashed, killing the civilian and injuring the aviator.

An aviator from Ellington Field, Houston, recently ran out of gasoline a short distance from Bay City and telephoned for fuel. An automobile mechanic who brought the gasoline persuaded the pilot to take him for a ride, and an accident resulted, the plane falling when only a few hundred feet in the air. The mechanic was killed and the aviator injured.

The San Antonio field is said to be the largest in Texas. Balloon observation is taught there in addition to flying. The students are mostly men from the signal corps.

This city soon will have two fields. Love Field, the camp now established, and a larger one already under construction at the State Fair grounds which have been loaned the Government for training purposes. There is a rigid ban against visitors at all camps. At Love Field a visitor caught with a camera was held until all the negatives were developed and showed that nothing of a prohibited nature had been pictured.

An unexpected effect of the frequent presence in the air of the flying machines has been the almost total disappearance of birds from the neighborhoods of the camps. Wild doves which have heretofore been common, flying in flocks, in Northern Texas, are never seen within miles of a camp, and in their northward spring flights the game birds, the ducks and geese are conspicuous by their absence from the skies about Fort Worth in particular.

ZIONIST TO SPEAK TONIGHT

Chicagoan to Make Address at Shaarei Zedek Synagogue.

Max Shulman of Chicago, president of the Federated Zionist Societies of the Middle West, will address members of the six St. Louis Zionist organizations tonight at the Shaarei Zedek Synagogue, West End and Page avenues.

The purpose of his visit is to organize a campaign toward raising here part of a $1,000,000 fund for the restoration of Palestine to the Jews, and to centralize the local activities.

GOOD NEWS FOR FAT FOLKS!

If You Want to Reduce Ten to Sixty Pounds Easily and Quickly, Read This.

Most fat people would like to enjoy healthful, normal weight. After unpleasant experiences with starvation dieting, drastic drugging and tiresome exercising, most of those burdened with surplus weight give up hope of ever finding relief.

At last a home treatment has been evolved which is so simple that some may doubt its efficacy for that reason alone. But don't pass judgment until you know more.

A very easy requirement of this unique system of fat reduction is that you take ten deep breaths each morning and evening in the open air or standing by an open window. Take one oil of korein capsule after each meal and before retiring at night; also follow the other simple directions that come with the capsules.

This treatment often shows a noticeable reduction in a very few days. Its consistent use should greatly improve the general health, overcome sluggishness and reduce your weight to normal. Beautify figure; add to vitality and efficiency; become genuinely happy! The oil of korein capsules may be obtained at the drug store. It is certainly a happy feeling to have a lithe, natural figure.—ADVERTISEMENT.

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PALE FACES
Generally indicate a lack of Iron in the Blood
Carter's Iron Pills
Will help this condition

If it can be recovered the Post-Dispatch lost and found wants will bring back the lost article. Diamonds, money, watches, etc., are among the articles recovered almost daily.

Schumann-Heink Concert March 15.

The date for Mme. Ernestine Schumann-Heink's St. Louis concert is announced as March 15, and the place will be the Odeon. The famous contralto, in addition to her usual recitals, has been occupied with numerous concerts for the soldiers at the various cantonments. She was recently soloist at four concerts given by the Symphony Orchestrat at Camp Funston.

GIRLS! BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR WITH "DANDERINE"

Get a Small Bottle! Freshen Your Scalp! Stop Falling Hair! Remove Dandruff! Grow Lots of Wavy, Glossy, Beautiful Hair---You Can!



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Besides doubling the beauty of your hair at once, you will shortly find new hair, fine and downy at first, but really new hair growing all over the scalp. Costs little.

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Free to 50,000 Catarrh Sufferers

The Most Astonishing, the Most Successful Home Treatment Ever Discovered for Nasal, Bronchial, Throat, Stomach, Bladder and Other Symptoms of Systemic Hypersecretions of the Mucous Membrane.

A TRIAL TREATMENT OF THIS REMARKABLE DISCOVERY FREE TO ALL WHO WRITE.

There is absolutely no other way to overcome Catarrh except by home self-treatment. You have positively got to apply the treatment yourself. With this important fact in mind, C. E. Gauss, of Marshall, Mich., has perfected the most remarkable combination treatment ever discovered. Having cured completely hundreds of his friends, neighbors and others, he now offers to send free to all a trial treatment direct to your home. It is enough of a treatment to convince. It gives positive relief. You realize the relief. You are conscious of it. This is one of the most important discoveries ever made, for it is a fact that nine people in ten have Catarrh, but do not realize **how badly they have it.**

A Mouth of Corruption

Catarrh is the One Disease that is not imagination. The hawking, spitting, sneezing, wheezing, snuffing, blowing and gagging are not a habit, these distressing and offensive efforts to gain relief are not stopped by a mere command of the mind. No amount of will power, however determined, can cure catarrh.

It requires help to overcome a disease that although local in character may and often does permeate the entire system. For although you know you have catarrh you do not know **how badly** you have it. You may have what you believe is only Nasal Catarrh, but even so, it is a threat to your general health.

Here is a sensible, rational, home self-treatment, just as effective, just as searching, just as penetrating, as cleansing, as purifying as could be had from any source, **even if you paid a hundred times as much.**

A nose that dribbles with mucus is an indication of **disease.** A breath tainted with the odor of catarrh is an offense against all health and decency. A stomach filled with dropping from diseased nasal cavities may cause untold misery. The bowels clogged with stringy of ropy mucus indicates a body literally reeking with catarrh.

The blood, swarming with millions of catarrh germs, entails upon the kidneys a labor that may break them down; the lungs and bronchial tubes scourged with the destructive influence of systemic catarrh, can lead to the most serious consequences.

Not Imagination

When you get up in the morning with coated tongue, a breath that strikes terror to those around you; when you gag and squawk and cough and spit and choke, do you try to make yourself believe that all of this corruption is confined entirely to your nose and mouth?

Is it any wonder that sickness is everywhere? Thousands are seeking bracers, tonics, strong drugs and other poisons for relief when their trouble is catarrh and nothing else. And when you realize that the whole body is a vast camping ground for the myriad of poison germs hatched every second in the small space back of the nostrils, can you wonder that 50,000 free trial treatments will not begin to supply the demand once that people wake up to a full realization of the dangers from catarrh?



The Trouble Begins Here

In the upper nasal cavity the catarrhal mucus collects and either runs out through the nostrils or dropping down it hardens and forms in chunks or long strings just where the soft palate or uvula is located.

The Trouble Gets Worse

It then drops down the throat with food or drink and creates a condition wrongly diagnosed as indigestion and stomach trouble.

You Can Never Tell What Serious Trouble Catarrh May Develop

From the stomach it mixes with all food and enters the blood to call upon the entire system to get rid of it. Gauss' Combined Method acts in all these stages from the nasal cavities to the throat, stomach, intestines, the blood, liver, breathing apparatus, bowels, kidneys, bladder and skin. It is the most comprehensive treatment ever discovered.

It Will Pay You to Send Coupon Today

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You know from experience that you cannot cure catarrh by forgetting it. But you can learn from a positive demonstration how to cure catarrh with this combined treatment.

This is an educational move on my part. I want everyone to try my treatment. I ask no money, no questions. I have but the one remedy, a discovery that is worth your while to send for whether you are a millionaire or a worker by the day. Catarrh is no respecter of persons. It undermines the poor and the rich alike. This free trial treatment proves that it goes to the root of stopped-up noses, constantly hawking and spitting, nasal discharge, snoring, bad breath, frequent colds, difficult breathing, smothering sensation in dreams, sudden fits of sneezing, dry mucus in nose, chunks lodging at soft palate, and other symptoms too numerous to mention. Simply clip, sign and mail coupon. Do it **now.**

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If your New Combined Treatment will relieve my Catarrh and bring me health and good spirits again, I am willing to be shown. So without cost or obligation to me, send, fully prepaid, the Free Treatment, with full directions for using.

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BUSINESS SURVEY OF ST. LOUIS IS READY IN EAST

Jackson Johnson and Joseph W. Folk Go to New York to Look Over the Result.

ATTACK ON ARBITRARY

Further Purpose of Chamber of Commerce Is to Expand Commercial Endeavor Here.

A survey of business conditions in St. Louis, including an exhaustive study of the limitations by the Terminal arbitrary, has been completed by Ernest P. Goodrich, a New York engineer, for the Chamber of Commerce. Monday Jackson Johnson, president, and Joseph W. Folk, counsel of the chamber, will examine it in New York as to its value in the fight to remove the arbitrary.

Goodrich formerly was chief engineer of the Bush Terminal in New York, and since 1907 has been in private practice, his clients including construction firms on the Philippine harbor and the harbor commissioners of Newark N. J., Los Angeles, Cal., and Portland Ore.

Folk and Johnson Depart.

Johnson and Folk departed at noon yesterday for New York. They intend to ascertain whether Goodrich covered all details of St. Louis conditions desired by the Chamber of Commerce in the movement to remove the arbitrary and make St. Louis more attractive to large business enterprises.

It is said the report will discuss the arbitrary's effect on St. Louis' growth, how it can be removed and the probable effect and that it will suggest changes profitable to St. Louis business in the handling of railroad shipping.

The report probably will contain lengthy discussion of how the Mississippi River could be utilized for freight at St. Louis, so railroad congestion would be relieved and the city benefit by lower freight rates, such as other cities with water competition have.

It was said at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday that the report probably would be received in St. Louis late next week and be made public soon afterward.

Plan to See McAdoo.

From New York Johnson and Folk will go to Washington and lay before Secretary McAdoo, Director-General of Railroads, an explanation of the Terminal arbitrary. Folk said the conference would be similar to one he held in Chicago Wednesday with Regional Director Aishton, to whom he explained the arbitrary from the standpoint of the St. Louis business public.

Folk also expects to see Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania Lines; Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio, and A. H. Smith, president of the Big Four, and discuss the arbitrary with them.

On his return late in the week Folk will be accompanied by Mrs. Folk.

"MIDINETTES" LOOKED UPON U. S. SOLDIERS AS MILLIONAIRES

Visitor From Paris Says Officers Soon Put an End to Leave to Visit Paris.

American soldiers overseas are looked upon as "millionaires" by the young "midinettes," or French working girls, who until recently turned the Paris visits of the khaki-clad youths into a continuous round of taxi rides, cafes and theaters, says Miss Juliette de Vries, 30 years old, of 23 Rue Geoffroy-Marie, Paris, who is visiting her cousin, Alex de Vries of 4013 Russell avenue, while on her way to join her fiance in Indo-China.

Miss de Vries left France late in November. Shortly before her departure the American troops engaged in their first encounter with the enemy. After the engagement they were moved behind the lines and granted leaves of absence, many of them going to Paris.

The advent of the Americans was followed by an overcrowding of the cafes and restaurants of the French capital, she related. For the first time in months the French girls had all the entertainment and diversion they wanted and it was a common sight to see tables surrounded by the Americans and their newly-found friends with champagne flowing freely at 25 francs, or $4 per bottle. American officers, however, changed this shortly afterwards by refusing Paris leave to soldiers, and at present the only American soldiers there are those on active duty.

Three Thousand Home Offers

THE BIG REAL ESTATE AND WANT DIRECTORIES with today's POST-DISPATCH contains a THOUSAND MORE OFFERS of board, cottages, bungalows, flats, apartments, dwellings, business property and real estate than you will find in the next nearest local SUNDAY newspapers.

Wallace Delafield Dies.

The death at Colorado Springs, Thursday, of Wallace Delafield, formerly a member of the St. Louis insurance firm of Delafield & Snow was announced here by relatives yesterday. Delafield, who has resided at Colorado Springs for the last 10 years, was the only son of the late Wallace Delafield of St. Louis. He is survived by his widow and mother.

PLEDGES HELP TO HOME GUARDS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 23 (Special).—After reviewing the Second Regiment of the Missouri Home Guards here, Gov. Gardner said, in addressing the 1400 guards in the armory: "The Home Guard organization in Missouri will receive better financial support from the State than has been true thus far. The Home Guard units occupy a place of increasing importance."

The Governor pledged his personal influence to secure appropriations when the Legislature is again in session.

No COUGH, COLD or CROUP for me. I take



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Final Clean-Up of the Strattmann & Rock Stock

Tomorrow will be the final clean-up of the Strattmann & Rock stock. Many of the lots are too small to advertise, marked at less than ½ price, therefore early shopping is advised. WE GIVE AND REDEEM EAGLE STAMPS.

50c Flannelette Gowns
10 TO 11 A. M.
Women's slipover style Gowns, in white and blue, made of medium weight flannelette, slightly soiled..... **25c**

ST. LOUIS BARGAIN CENTER
Penny and Gentles
BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.

$5 Woolnap Blankets
100 pairs heavy silver gray woolnap Blankets; large size, pink or blue borders. Sale price, pair, **$3.50**

Specials From the Strattmann & Rock Stock

39c Dress Suiting
Suitable for dresses, skirts and Spring coats; yard..... **25c**

20c Percales
1000 remnants Shirting Percales; 36 in. wide; yard..... **10c**

25c Madras
36 inches wide; beautiful patterns; fast colors; yard..... **18c**

85c Table Linen
Renfrew colored Damask; 60 inches wide; buff color; yard..... **64c**

10c Huck Towels
Hemmed; for hand use; mismatched ends; special, each..... **7½c**

15c Huck Towels
Hemmed huck; hotel size; mill seconds; no holes..... **10c**

Men's $1.25 Sweaters
Also Boys' Sweaters; special for Monday's selling..... **79c**

98c Union Suits
Boys' flat fleeced Union Suits; special Monday at..... **59c**

Children's 25c Hose
Children's 25c ribbed Hose; all sizes; 5 to 9½; pair..... **19c**

Men's 98c Shirts
Dress Shirts; a variety of patterns; Monday at..... **59c**

Children's $1 Rompers
Of excellent quality gingham; sizes to 8 years..... **79c**

$1.00 Corsets
Good style; silk embroidery trimmed; pink and white..... **88c**

50c Corset Covers
Trimmed with fine lace and embroidery; special at..... **35c**

Infants' 79c Dresses
Of fine quality nainsook; yoke embroidery trimmed..... **59c**

25c Pongee
Plain tan pongee; in remnants; special, per yard..... **15c**

50c Poplins
Highly mercerized; in all colors; special, per yard..... **39c**

18c Towels
Large hemmed huck; size 18x36; mismatched ends..... **12½c**

$1 Washtubs



Large mill purchase of high-grade galvanized washtubs; every one perfect; big bargain; $1.00 value; Monday **79c**

$1.35 Wash Boilers
Large size No. 8 heavy rolled-tin Wash Boiler; complete with cover; Monday special, each..... **98c**

$7 Special Rolled Edge Combination Felt Mattress; covered in heavy striped old fashion ticking; for full size bed; big bargain..... **$4.98**

Couch Cover Samples
Tapestry lengths; several alike; each sample..... **29c**

$35 SUITS



$22.50
130 Samples
In the latest styles; belted and ripple effects; fancy pockets; lined in finest all-silk taffeta and peau de cygne; Skirts full and perfect fitting; colors are new shades of gray, apple green, navy and black; all sizes at $22.50.

$10 Dresses
Special for Monday. **$6.48**
Women's and misses' delightful new Spring Dresses, eight dainty and different styles to select from. Made in taffeta silk, silk messaline and silk poplin, in pretty range of new colors and black, at $6.48.



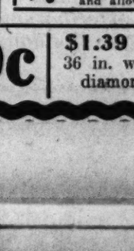
HATS TRIMMED FREE
Shapes—SHAPES—Shapes
Just received 100 dozen Hats, all of the newest Spring blocks. Every one fresh and clean from the manufacturers. As the price of braids is increasing daily, this is surely a wonderful and opportune offer to buy such a shape at

Styles & Colors $1 The Braids

Large 4-inch Brim Sailors with flanges, side rolls, high crowns, pot shapes, matrons' hats; colors are black, brown, khaki, new blue, etc., etc. Fine shiny braids of Jap and Lisieres. Beautiful Milan hemp is used for the more conservative styles.

NO C. O. D.s. MAIL OR PHONE ORDERS

Boys' Novelty Suits
$2.50 to $5.45



An excellent line of **Little Fellows' Spring Suits;** all sizes 2½ to 8, in light and dark mixtures, also blue serge.

Boys' Pants 95c
All sizes 6 to 18 years; $1.50 value; special Monday, 95c.

Boys' Suits $4.89
87 Norfolk Suits; all sizes 6 to 17 years; many patterns to select from.

Girls' $2 & $2.25 Shoes
Special for Monday Only $1.49



750 Pairs of Misses' and Children's Patent and Dull Shoes for street or dress wear. Lace and button, low heels; sizes 8½ to 2. The best values in St. Louis at $1.49. **$1.49**

Women's $1.75 and $2.00 Dongola Kid House Slippers; Juliet, Princess and strap styles; all sizes; at..... **$1.39**

Child's $1.75 and $2.00 Dull and Patent Leather Shoes; neat toes; sizes 4 to 8, **$1.39**

Boys' Durable Button and Lace Shoes; sizes 2½ to 5½, $1.59; sizes 9 to 13½, **$1.39**

Women's $2.50 and $3 Low Shoes; in dull and patent; high or low heels; all sizes, **$1.39**

4-Yd.-Wide Linoleum
Large quantity and variety of room-size mill remnants of high-grade genuine Cork Linoleum; lengths of 10 to 36 sq. yards; comes 4 yards wide to cover average size rooms in one entire piece; square yard.... **49c**

Linoleum 85c Linoleum; room remnants of high-grade genuine Cork Linoleum; 2 yards wide; Monday, square yard..... **39c**

Linoleum 50c Linoleum; cut from full roll; as much as desired; high-grade Felt Linoleum; many pretty patterns; every yard perfect; per square yard..... **29c**

$7 Matting Rugs, 9x12 Large assortment of high-grade Japanese Matting Rugs, size 9x12; floral, Oriental and allover patterns; each..... **$3.98**

Specials From the Strattmann & Rock Stock

20c Sheeting
36-in. heavy unbleached; remnants up to 9 yards; per yard..... **15c**

Rick-Rack Braid
2½-cent Rick-Rack Braids, in white only; yard..... **1c**

J. & P. Coats' Thread
Best 6-cord; in white and black; all numbers..... 12 spools **45c**

10c Val. Laces
Imported French Valenciennes Laces and Insertions; yard..... **5c**

Patent Leather Belts
Wide and narrow widths; all sizes; 49c, 39c and..... **25c**

45c Short Kimonos
For women; in pretty floral patterns; made of best challie..... **25c**

Women's 79c Vests
Ribbed Vests; high neck, long sleeves; 79c value..... **49c**

65c Window Shades
Oil opaque Cloth Shades; regular size; on sale at..... **39c**

$1.50 Lace Curtains
3 yards long; plain and figured centers; the pair..... **98c**

15c Curtain Scrim
White and ecru; plain and fancy borders; per yard..... **10c**

$1.75 Corticelli Satin
Ivory, white, pink and canary shades; yard wide; per yard..... **$1.00**

59c Silk Crepe
36 inches wide; in nearly all shades; per yard..... **39c**

20c Handkerchiefs
All-silk crepe de chine; with picot edges..... **12c**

$1.75 Silk Gloves
2-clasp; double finger tips; in white only; per pair..... **$1.25**

$1.00 Silk Gloves
With Paris point stitching; black only; per pair..... **59c**

A Great Sale of Wall Paper

30-inch Scotch Imported and domestic Oatmeal Papers, in all colors, will be sold, with borders and binders to match, the 20c and 35c grade, Monday..... **7c & 15c**

A wonderful selection of Bedroom Papers in medium and dark colors; satin stripes, two-tones, florals and chints effects. These Papers are sold with beautiful cut-out borders to match; regular 12½c and 15c values. Our price for Monday, per roll..... **7½c & 10c**

Kitchen and Attic Room Papers, some for halls; in stripes and nice blacks and allover designs. We offer you these Papers Monday, sold with borders and binders to match, at, per roll, **2½c, 4c, 6c & 7½c**

Good heavy Gold Papers; all in fast colors; regular 15c and 20c values, Sold with borders to match, at, per roll..... **9c & 12c**

We furnish paper hangers at moderate prices.

Don't Miss This Sale

$1.39 Foulard Silk 36 in. wide; in dots and diamond designs; per yd **89c**

85c Suitings Yard wide; new tan and light gray checks; yard. **59c**

Your glasses may be all right for desk work, but when you look up at someone coming in the door, your vision is fogged.

Aloe's Kryptok invisible bifocals

Are "fog-dispellers" and perfect reading glasses combined. You can see near-by and distant objects with equal clearness and distinctness---without bothering to remove or change glasses.

There is an Aloe Store within ten minutes of you wherever you are, up or down town.

Aloe's

Optical Authorities of America.

TWO STORES:

Downtown
513 Olive Street
Just East of Sixth

Uptown
539 North Grand Avenue
Grand and Washington

STRASSBERGER'S STUDENTS TO PRESENT FIVE RECITALS

Three Will Be Given at South Side School and Two at North Side.

Five recitals by students of the Strassberger Conservatories are announced by Director Bruno C. Strassberger. Three are scheduled for the South Side school, to be given March 1, 3 and 5. That of March 3 is to be a Sunday matinee at 3 o'clock, and the others will begin at 7:30.

Pupils of the North Side school will take part in two programs on March 7 and 10, the former at 7:30 p. m. and the latter at 3 p. m. Some 70 pupils are to appear.

A feature of the series is the South Side recital on the evening of March 5, when in place of the usual musical features a Grecian play, entitled "Pandora and Epimetheus," will be presented by members of the classes in dramatic expression.

Ambassador Returning on Vacation.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—The American Ambassador, Joseph H. Shea, will depart soon for a vacation in the United States. He called on President Sanfuentes and Foreign Minister Pereira today and took leave of them.

N.Y.N.H. CONDUCTOR WINS FIGHT WITH RHEUMATISM OF JOINTS

F. A. Barber Tells How He Finally Found Remedy That Removed Every Ache and Pain



"I dislike publicity, but gladly give my experience in the hope that it will be the means of some other sufferer finding relief," said Mr. F. A. Barber, a well-known conductor on the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, who lives at 104 Spring St., Springfield, Mass. "How few who do not suffer can realize what it means to find relief.

"I suffered from rheumatism of the joints in my feet, knees and hips so that I could hardly crawl around. My feet were swollen to almost twice their natural size. My back and knees pained me so that it was impossible to find a comfortable position in bed.

"My knees troubled me a great deal when I attempted to get on the train, for I was just able to shift my feet along. My hips pained me a great deal when I would lie down, and I could hardly move after remaining quiet any length of time.

"This was my condition when I commenced to take Var-ne-sis. Almost from the first I could see a change for the better, the pain gradually left me, the stiffness of the knees disappeared, and I was at last able to obtain some rest. By continuing the medicine every sign of rheumatism left me, my feet returned to normal, and I now feel like a new man.

"It is really astonishing what Var-ne-sis has done for me, and I am recommending it to all who suffer from rheumatism."

W. A. Varney said: I am constantly producing evidence that Var-ne-sis conquers rheumatism of the joints. For years I have published letters from people in Boston and vicinity. They tell how their joints were stiff, painful and deformed; they tell how they tried one remedy after another without results and finally recovered through Var-ne-sis. No sufferer of chronic rheumatism can afford not to try Var-ne-sis.

Var-ne-sis is a simple vegetable preparation and absolutely harmless, as it is composed of herbs, roots and barks; it does not contain salicylates, iodides, capsicum or pepper. Var-ne-sis tends to help the stomach and cannot harm the heart.

At my Boston office one room is given over to the display of his famous collection of crutches and canes which have been exhibited in many cities. These are being added to from time to time by those who were crippled before taking the remedy. The name and address of the owner is on each article, and Mr. Varney offers $1000 if they are not genuine. The walls of the display room are covered with photograps of New England people.

Send to W. A. Varney, Lynn, Mass., for the leaflet, "The Rust of Human Hinges." It's Free.

Every testimonial published is a simple statement of facts and $1000 is offered if they are other than genuine or if they have been purchased.

Get Var-ne-sis Now, today, at Johnson Bros. Drug Co., Adolph G. Enderle, Pauley Drug Stores, Wolff-Wilson Drug Co. and all reliable druggists.—ADVERTISEMENT.

DR. M. F. ARBUCKLE TELLS HOW A BOMB KILLED 5 NEAR HIM

St. Louis Surgeon at French Front Describes Vicious German Air Raid.

WAS NIGHT OF TERROR

Boche Dropped Explosive About 15 Feet From the Physician.

Dr. M. F. Arbuckle, formerly of 3532 Washington avenue, now engaged in special surgical work in France, has written to Dr. John B. Shapleigh of 4950 Berlin avenue, telling of his narrow escape from death in the German aerial bombing raid, in which five men near him were killed.

In connection with this adventure he tells of meeting Maj. Malvern B. Clopton and Capt. B. S. Veeder, St. Louis physicians, who are in Base Hospital Unit 21.

Dr. Arbuckle, in his letter, speaks of the bombing incident as a "scary experience."

Describes Bomb Attacks.

The surgeon writes:

"Had been on a troop train for five days, which means that I had had only an occasional meal, had not had my boots off, nor a chance to lie down, and no accommodations of any sort on the train, when I arrived in a small village at about 3 a. m., and lay down on a cot in a very cold hut.

"At about 3:30 a boche came over and, although many anti-aircraft guns were firing at him, I was not aroused until he dropped a bomb about 15 feet away from me, killing five outright and wounding several others. One of the latter was blown through the end of his hut and into mine. I was thrown on the floor, and when I got up I was just in time to be run into by this wounded man. He was wanting help badly, and I didn't know whether I had been hit or not.

"The fellows killed had come in with me, and the shock of seeing them all dead at once was rather much for one, I assure you. However, I dressed the wounded ones, as I was the only doctor present, and halted a passing motor truck and took them about three miles to a hospital (in reality a casualty clearing station), and to my great delight I found Capt. Veeder and Maj. Clopton there and at work.

"Late that day I joined my field ambulance, and that night was one filled with terror for me, as they dropped about 300 bombs in our immediate neighborhood and of course we were very anxious. Then the next day they put over gas shells. So you see this is not all a bed of roses, after all."

Refers to London War Work.

Dr. Arbuckle in his letter laments the sudden interruption of his special surgical work in a London war hospital, through an order for all Americans to go to France. In London he came in contact with numerous cases of deafness from concussion and of shell shock.

"The cases of deafness," he writes, "which occur as result of concussion, often improve very much, even as long as six months after the injury, although some never improve. Of course, shell shock is, as yet, not well worked out, but it is in a most interesting condition.

"It has been my experience that the deafness in these cases usually depends on the degree of concussion the man has been exposed to, while of course the degree of shell shock does not depend so much on the force of the concussion as on the amount or length of exposure, combined with such experiences as being buried alive."

Watches and Diamonds on credit. Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d fl., 308 N. 6th st.—ADV.

HONDURANIAN CONSUL HERE

Ernesto Fletes Opens Office Here to Promote Trade Relations.

Ernesto Fletes has been appointed Consul for Honduras in St. Louis, with the object of promotion of business between this city and Honduras. He arrived two days ago and has opened offices at 510 Locust street. All invoices of goods shipped to Honduras will have to be signed by him to have effect at the custom house of Honduras. Without invoices there is a fine to the exporter.

Secretary Troy of the Foreign Trade Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce has been appointed by him consular agent, to act in his absence.

Fletes had eight years' experience in the consular service, having held consular posts in Mobile, Hamburg and Liverpool. He is a brother-in-law of Miss Anna Menestrina, translator of the Foreign Trade Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce, having married Miss Marie Menestrina in 1904, their marriage having been one of the World's Fair romances.

Twelve Hundred Positions for Workers

Are listed in the big REAL ESTATE AND WANT DIRECTORIES today—five hundred more than are printed in the two other St. Louis Sunday newspapers combined.

Man, 83, Found Dead From Gas.

Fred Klein, 83 years old, a widower, was found dead in bed at his home, 1945 Dodier street, at 11 a. m. yesterday by policemen, who broke into the place after being summoned by neighbors attracted by the smell of escaping gas. A gas jet in the room was open.

All Charge Purchases Made Balance of Month Payable in April.

We Give and Redeem Lamb Stamps

Lindell DRY GOODS CO.

Washington, Eighth and St. Charles Sts.

Candy Special

Delicious Old-Fashioned Molasses Taffy; regular 30c pound kind: pound 15c

Regular 30c pound Assorted Chocolates; on sale special, pound. 19c

$1.50 to $2.00 Shirts

Men's well-tailored Madras and Percale Shirts; in new patterns and colors; soft or laundered cuffs; in sizes 14 to 17½: each $1.15

Extraordinary Values in Domestics, Etc.

32-in. Plaid and Checked Dress Ginghams in a variety of new Spring styles, yd., 25c

27-Inch Dress Ginghams; in plaids, stripes and checks; yard.... 17½c

27-Inch Dress Ginghams; in plaids, checks and stripes; large variety of new Spring patterns, yd.. 22½c

55c Bleached Sheeting; 81 inches wide; good, heavy quality; limited quantity; yard..... 45c

65c White Skirting; 36 in. wide, of white fancy gaberdine; shrunken and ready for use; yard.. 39c

Soft-Finished Mercerized Nainsook; 36 inches wide; made specially for fine underwear; $3.50 value; per box of 10 yards..... $2.50

Soft-Finish Longcloth; 36 inches wide; 10-yd. bolts; per bolt..... $1.50

35c Shirting Madras; 36 inches wide; in a variety of new Spring patterns; per yard 29c

39c White Dress Voile; 38 inches wide; per yard 25c

22c Bleached Muslin; 36 Inches Wide; Yard.... 17½c

49c White Dress Voiles; 40 inches wide; per yard..... 35c

35c White Mercerized Batistes; 36 inches wide; soft finish, highly mercerized. 25c

49c White Mercerized Batiste; 38 inches wide; very popular for Summer dresses.. 35c

39c White Sherette; 36 inches wide; sheer and of a very fine quality for waists or dresses..... 25c

50c White Sherette; 38 inches wide; made of fine crisp yarns, for waists or dresses..... 35c

35c White Flaxons; plaids or stripes; also neat checks, for children's wear; yard. 25c

1000 Yards of Fine Shirting Madras; 36 inches wide; in a variety of new patterns for men's shirts or children's wear; yard..... 25c

35c Solid Color Voiles; 38 in. wide; in all the new Spring colors; yard..... 25c

Light Blue Mercerized Nainsook; 36 inches wide; special, Monday, yard.... 25c

Lorraine Tissues; in stripes and plaids; 27 inches wide; fast colors..... 29c

White Plaid Voiles; 36 inches wide; manufacturers' short lengths; values to 39c; per yard..... 25c

1000 Yards of Soft-Finished Nainsook; 36 inches wide; special, Monday..... 15c

1000 yards of White Gabardine, Pique and other serviceable materials for white skirts—manufacturers' short lengths—45c values—yard... 25c

(Street and Second Floors—The Lindell.)

Women's Gloves

WOMEN'S Chamoisette Gloves, in white, natural and black—specially priced, pair 98c

Women's Neckwear

WOMEN'S White Pique Collar and Cuff Sets—several different styles—slightly soiled—39c values..... 25c

Up to 50c Collars

SAMPLES of Women's Collars, in a large variety of styles and materials—values to 50c—each 19c

Union Suits

WOMEN'S fine ribbed cotton Union Suits, finished with wide leg-taped neck—large sizes—specially priced..... 39c

Children's 15c Muslin Waists 12½c

Muslin Waists finished with all the necessary buttons, etc. each, 12½c.

Eyeglasses As Low As $1.00

Our graduate optometrist will scientifically examine your eyes and guarantee to improve your sight or refund your money.

Eyes examined at your home by appointment.

Laundry Supplies

$1.59 Willow Clothes Baskets; best grade, with heavy wood bottoms, good size..... $1.08

79c Heavy Splint Clothes Baskets; oval, with wood bottoms, good size..... 59c

$3.95 Clothes Wringers; adjustable, with easy-running rubber rolls..... $3.15

$1.45 Wash Boilers; large No. 8, with strong handles and cover. $1.10

50 Feet Strong Clothesline, with 6 dozen clothespins..... 23c

$1.00 to $1.50 Clothes Hampers; various sizes, "shopworn"; while 32 last..... 69c

CRYSTAL WHITE Laundry Soap

7c Crystal White Laundry Soap (no phone orders filled). 5 Bars for 22c

5c Staufer's Laundry Tablets (no phone orders filled); 3 for 10c

45c Washboards; full size, with double rubbing surface. 32c

$1.35 Folding Ironing Boards; on stand; well braced, 98c

$1.39 Wash Benches; folding; hold two tubs and wringer; very strong..... $1.15

$1.15 Washtubs; best galvanized iron, medium size..... 87c

$1.35 Curtain Stretchers; full size, with non-rust pins, adjustable for any size curtains..... 95c

$3.60 Electric Irons; "fully guaranteed" 6-lb. size; complete with cord and plug..... $2.28

60c Coal Hods; heavy galvanized iron, 16-inch size..... 48c

$4.50 Cast Iron Stoves; have 2 8-inch holes and deep fire pots, at.... $3.45

$3.00 Gas Stoves; two-hole, heavy cast iron..... $2.39

(Fifth Floor—The Lindell.)

Specials in Hosiery

35c White Mercerized Socks, double heel and toe; slight irregulars; pair.. 19c

Women's white mercerized Stockings; high spliced heel and toe; slight irregulars of 35c quality—pair 21c

Men's black and white Silk Socks; double heel and toe; very elastic at top; slight irregulars of 75c quality 49c

Women's Black and White Silk Stockings; high spliced heel and toe; garter tops; slight irregulars of $1.00 quality..... 65c

Women's Shoes

$4, $5 and Up to $6 Values

Pair $2.85



High Shoes—In patent, gunmetal or vici kid, with cloth tops, button or lace style, patent or vic kid, with white tops, and many others.

Low Shoes—New Spring pumps in patent, dull, white, ivory and gray kid or white canvas; come in Colonial, opera and military styles.

Sale Women's Up to $4.00 Shoes

INCLUDED are patent, gunmetal or vici kid with kid or cloth tops, button or lace styles; patent or vici kid with white tops—low shoes in patent, gunmetal or vici kid, and many others; pair..... $1.50

(Street and Second Floors—The Lindell.)

Extra! $1.75 Marquisette Curtains Pair $1.25

MARQUISETTE Curtains; hemstitched and trimmed lace edge; 2½ yards long; come in cream and Arabian colors.

$2.75 to $4.00 Lace Curtains

Wonderful quality Lace Curtains, including Filet, Scotch and Madras weave—good selection of patterns; come in white, cream and Arabian, pair..... $2.19

25c to 35c Marquisettes

Highly mercerized Curtain Marquisettes, both fancy and plain; come in white, cream and Arabian; full pieces; yard..... 15c

15c and 19c Curtain Voiles—some full bolts, others in lengths to 10 yards—come in white, cream and Arabian—yard..... 8c

$35 Axminster Rugs

JUST 37 Rugs in the lot—Alexander Smith & Sons' seamless high-grade Axminster; in the 9x12-ft. size; in allover, Oriental and floral designs; slightly imperfect..... $23.50

$1.35 Rag Rugs

COME in the "Hit and Miss" patterns; 30x60 inches—washable—on sale while the quantity lasts—each 79c

$5.50 Axminster Rugs

COME in the 36x72 size in Oriental and floral patterns; heavy quality Axminster; slightly soiled—each $3.29

Wall Paper at Savings

BEDROOM and Attic Papers; light and medium shades—Monday, roll 2c

WALL PAPERS, in nearly all colors; for bedroom, kitchen and halls—Monday, roll..... 4c

LIVING ROOM, dining room and Hall Papers; medium and dark colors—Monday, roll..... 6½c

ROOM lots of high-grade Papers for parlors and halls—cut-out borders to match—Monday, roll.. 14c

(Fourth Floor—The Lindell.)

75c Pants

WOMEN'S fine ribbed lisle thread Pants—French band—lace knee—regular 75c quality, special..... 49c

19c Vests

WOMEN'S Swiss ribbed cotton Vests—taped neck and arms—special Monday..... 15c

$1.50 Petticoats

WOMEN'S muslin Petticoats; finished with embroidery ruffle—regular $1.50 quality, each..... 98c

$1.00 Chemise

WOMEN'S batiste Envelope Chemise; lace and organdy insertion trimmed—regular $1.00 quality, Monday..... 79c

Bloomers

WOMEN'S Black Bloomers, of soft finished mercerized twill—all sizes—very special..... $1.25

Your Watch Needs Cleaning

Because the gum and grease that accumulates causes friction and wears the delicate parts of your movement.

Do You Know

that every year the balance staff of your watch makes 157,000,000 revolutions? No matter how well it may be protected some dirt is bound to assemble.

We Will Clean

and oil your watch, and none but experts will work on it. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED..... 69c

Clocks Repaired

Street Floor

Housewares

Floor Lamps; in rich mahogany finish, wired complete with silk cord and plugs.

$7.50 Floor Lamps; with 1-light sockets..... $4.85

$9.00 Floor Lamps; with two pull-chain cluster lights, at..... $6.95



$12.50 Dining-Room Domes; "gas or electric"; large 22-inch rich art glass with fancy fringe; while 12 last..... $6.95

15c Gas Mantles; triple weave, highest grade and candle power; each..... 8c

$2.25 Stepladders; Udell's best-made "Excelsior" brand, iron braced, 5 ft. high. $1.79

Roll 150 Running Feet Galvanized Poultry Wire, 1 foot high. $1.39



75c Heavy Aluminum Stew Pans; 4-pint size; flat bottom style; 1 to a customer..... 39c



$2.00 Cook Kettles; large 10-quart size, with covers; first quality; four-coated blue and white enamelware. 98c

$1.25 Heavy Aluminum Rice Boilers; special value..... 78c

75c Garbage Cans; galvanized, with large rim covers. 59c



89c Wall Dusters; washable wool, with short and long handles..... 75c

5c Toilet Paper; fine quality (no phone orders filled); 8 rolls for..... 25c

65c Brooms; 4-sewed, good grade broom corn (limit two to a customer); each. 49c



$2.50 to $3.00 Gas Heating Stoves; various sizes; excellent heaters; while 24 last.... $1.89

$2.75 Child's High Chairs; very strongly made, oak finished; special $1.86



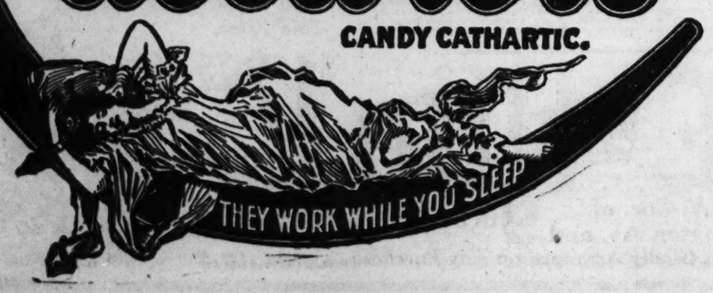
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RAILROAD Y. M. C. A. DOES BIG SERVICE FOR ENLISTED MEN

Former Helen Gould's Gift Has Proven to Be Haven for Recruits.

When Miss Helen Miller Gould, now Mrs. Finley J. Shepard, built and equipped the $250,000 Railroad Y. M. C. A. building, at Twentieth and Eugenia streets, 11 years ago, her sole intention probably was to provide for the welfare and comfort of St. Louis railroad men.

The building has been a thorough success in serving the railroad men. But the war, combined with the position of the building near Union Station, has given it the opportunity to perform an even bigger service for the men of the United States army and navy. Those in charge of the institution are making full use of the opportunity, and every week thousands of men in the Government service are being housed, fed or entertained through its facilities.

Late afternoon is the time when soldiers are most likely to be found at the railroad "Y." Frequently they are recruits, not yet drilled or uniformed, on their way to Jefferson Barracks, from Northern recruiting stations. Sometimes they are companies, with officers in charge, going to or from Texas camps and flying fields. And always, needing a little more attention and encouragement than the rest, are the men who have been rejected from the army, and are on their none-too-joyous way home.

One of these "rejects," very young and very downhearted, was found a few evenings ago by Grover B. Simpson, chairman of the board, in charge of the building, sitting in a corner by himself.

"They wouldn't have me," the boy explained to Simpson. "I'm only 16, but the folks at home all say I'm a scrapper. But they kept the fellows I brought."

"What fellows?" Simpson asked him. The boy then told how he had persuaded four others, all older than himself, in his home town in North Dakota, to enlist with him in the army. At Jefferson Barracks the examining officers had accepted the four, but had rejected him as too young.

"I'm going to start shaving as soon as I get home," the boy declared. "If I can get a beard to growing, I can get by all right."

Inquiry as to his resources for the trip back to North Dakota brought the information that he had his railroad ticket, four sandwiches and 1 cent. Before he left he was provided with enough money to make the journey in comfort.

Sick "Reject" Given Attention.

Another "reject," suffering from pneumonia, was taken to the home of a family interested in the association's work, and was kept until he was well.

The last train for the Barracks, on the Missouri Pacific, leaves Union Station at 3:17 p. m. All parties of recruits arriving after that time wait in the city for the next morning's tram. These recruit parties are not subject to the same restraints as organized bodies of soldiers, and if they were scattered around lodging places in the neighborhood of the station, they would be exposed to the temptations from which the army authorities try most earnestly to keep soldiers.

But the usual course of such detachments is that a Y. M. C. A. worker meets them at the train and invites them to the Railroad "Y," and that the men have a swim in the pool or shower baths, a good supper, see moving pictures or hear a musical entertainment, and are in bed by 10 o'clock.

A Corporal from the Barracks is stationed at the Railroad "Y," in special charge of this work with "rookies." A petty officer of the navy also is on duty there, to meet naval recruits. Both have entered into the spirit of the association's work, and their services are greatly valued by the workers in charge.

Laundry Provided for Sailors.

Sailors, stopping at the building over night, usually wish to wash their uniforms. A laundry has been rigged up where they can do this, and where soldiers can do the same if they desire. Sewing on of buttons is performed by the women of the Train Service Committee, of whom a detail is on hand, until 9 o'clock every night.

An information bureau at the station is an auxiliary of the Railroad "Y," and the workers in charge try to give the men the information that they want. Many of them wish to see friends or relatives in St. Louis, of whose whereabouts they often have an indistinct idea. If the city directory and the telephone directory give any help in the matter, the desired person is usually found and summoned to the building. Meetings of officers and soldiers with wives or mothers to whom they have telegraphed to meet them in St. Louis, and who are unacquainted with this city, are arranged, sometimes in collaboration with the Y. W. C. A.

One man a few days ago met his uncle and stayed with him at a downtown hotel, where he left his number tag hanging in a bathroom. Much distressed by the loss of the tag, he reported to the Y. M. C. A. workers that the case was hopeless, as he did not remember the name of the hotel. With the uncle's name to guide them, they found the hote, and recovered the lost tag.

Canadian aviation recruits, on their way to Kelly Field, in Texas, have been at the Railroad "Y" in considerable number.

Train service, which keeps a large number of women busy continuously, consists in part of visiting troop trains which stop in the station yards, but do not unload. These men have food, but the committee gives them fruit, chocolate and comfort kits.

There are 300 cots for soldiers, and frequently these are all in use. In January beds were furnished to 2367 men, and the total number served, including train service, was reported as 25,165. A long hut, in front of the building, has been outgrown, and work has begun on a hut 180 by 50 feet, a steel structure, which was formerly a freight receiving station of the Missouri Pacific. Ground was broken for this hut Friday night, with patriotic ceremonies.

Her Christian Duty To Other Sufférers


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Anyone who has ever suffered the agony of gall stone trouble will understand the sense of gratitude that impelled Mrs. M. E. Laucks, Red Lion, York Co., Pa. (R. F. D. No. 1), to write to the Pinus Laboratories as follows: "I feel it my Christian duty to anyone suffering from gall stones to write this testimonial. I suffered for several years with gall stones and severe attacks of gall colic. The best doctors in our community could not help me; the only thing they recommended was an operation, which I hesitated to permit. I am very thankful I heard of Fruitola and Traxo and used it. Have not had an attack for two years and gladly recommend Fruitola and Traxo to all who suffer with stomach trouble or gall stones."

Fruitola and Traxo are prepared in the Pinus laboratories at Monticello, Ill. and can be purchased in drug stores; a doctor's prescription is not necessary. Fruitola is a pure fruit oil that acts as an intestinal lubricant. One bottle is usually sufficient to indicate its efficacy. Traxo is a tonic-alterative that is most effective to rebuild and restore the weakened, run-down system.

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For electrical machinery offers see Post-Dispatch Want Ads.

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Lot No. 6—Table Lamps of massive mahogany stems—fancy art silk shades of various designs and colors—complete with cord and sockets—values up to $10.00—choice of this lot..... $5.95

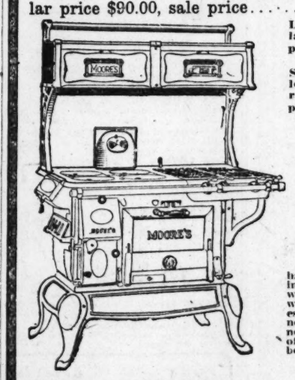
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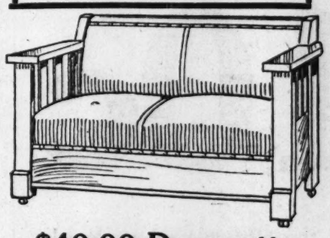
$2.50 Wilton Velvet Rugs
Size 27x54 inches—large assortment of patterns..... $1.95

$15 Axminster Rugs
Size 4.6x6.6. Just what you need for a small room or sun parlor—assorted patterns..... $9.95

$12 Wool and Fiber Rugs
For bedrooms this rug is ideal. They are reversible and extremely durable—9x12 size—assorted patterns..... $7.95

$40.00 Axminster Rugs
Standard make in 9x12 size—Oriental and conventional designs—woven in one piece—seamless..... $32.50

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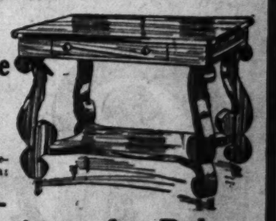
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TESTIFIES GERMAN ALLIANCE IS CLOAK FOR PROPAGANDA

Witness Before Senate Committee Considering Bill to Revoke Charter Declares Organization in U. S. Uses System Similar to That Effective in Austria.

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Richard Bartholdt Quoted as Saying in St. Louis in 1916 That Voters Should Cast Ballot "Only for Those Favoring Germanism."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.)—The National German-American Alliance was pictured before a Senate Judiciary Subcommittee today by Gustavus Ohlinger, a Toledo (O.) lawyer, as a cover for German propaganda in the United States. Ohlinger was the first witness at hearings on the bill by Senator King of Utah to revoke the charter of the alliance and wind up its affairs and those of its state organizations.

Declaring that much of his testimoney was based on information taken from literature sent to members, Ohlinger said the operation of the organization in the United States was similar to the propaganda system by which Germany brought Austria under its complete dominance. He had not completed his testimony when the committee adjourned tonight and will be called again Monday.

The subcommittee purposes later to call officials of the alliance, including the president, the Rev. S. G. von Bosse of Wilmington, Del., and the secretary, Adolph Timm of Philadelphia.

In his testimony today, Ohlinger made it plain that he did not desire to create the impression that all members of the alliance were conscious of having worked against the interests of the United States. The real propagandists in the organization, he said, worked in secret and in a subtle way urged the individual members to further the interests of Germany. The entrance of the United States into the war, however, had curtailed their activities, Ohlinger added.

Officer Decorated by Kaiser.

The witness said that a former president of the alliance, C. J. Hexamer of Philadelphia received from Emperor William in 1904 the fourth order of the Red Eagle for his "services to German kultur" in the United States. It was Hexamer, he asserted, who sent telegraphic messages to the presidents of the state alliances instructing them to wire President Wilson that a majority of the citizens of their states opposed any drastic action against Germany as a result of the sinking of the Lusitania.

Preceding the national political conventions in 1916, the witness continued, the alliance worked against the renomination of President Wilson and urged its members to aid in bringing about the defeat of Theodore Roosevelt for the Republican nomination, both on the theory that neither favored "strict neutrality," and that both were opposed to German interests in this country.

Ohlinger declared that former Representative Richard Bartholdt of Missouri, who was active in obtaining the passage of the bill giving the alliance its charter, urged all citizens of German descent to vote "only for those favoring Germanism." He quoted Bartholdt as saying, in a speech in St. Louis in April, 1916: "We must use our ballot for Germanism. We must now forget our party and vote only for those who are friends of Germanism."

Bulletin Pleads for Loyalty.

In an alliance bulletin issued in July, 1917, the witness told the committee, a writer declared that every German in the United States was a pioneer in German kultur and that he should be proud of it as a means of showing his loyalty to his native country. In the same issue a poetic writer declared in verse that the oath of allegiance to the United States did not include a declaration that he would fight against Germany.

The bylaws of the organization belie its real purposes, Ohlinger said, for, although they declare one object is to teach American ideals to German immigrants, there is no record that that is being done. On the other hand, he declared, the entire activity in that respect is confkined to urging the teaching of German in the public schools.

"The German military propaganda against the United States in the United States began 20 years ago," Ohlinger declared.

"The same process has been followed here by Germany as abroad.

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INDICATIONS POINT TO SECOND DRAFT CALL IN APRIL OR MAY

Known That Equipment and Supplies Will Be Ready Early in Former Month.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—While War Department officials reiterate that no date has definitely been fixed for calling of the second draft for the National Army, all available outward indications would seem to point to some time during the month of April or at the latest early in May.

Such a conclusion is based on the known preparations for equipping and housing the men. It is no military secret that equipment and supplies for men of the second draft will become available soon after April 1, and careful observers look for the first increments to be called soon afterward.

The number of men to be called in the first increment has not yet been determined because the question of housing them has not been disposed of. There will be room for some of them in camps and cantonments now occupied by troops, and it is possible that additional cantonments may have to be provided. It is also possible that some of the National Guard camps may be used during the period.

This phase of the subject is being given careful study, but nothing has been decided.

SOLDIER'S BROTHER MAKES VISIT OF PROTEST TO JUDGE DYER

Complains of Reported Policy of Dismissing Disloyalty Cases With Fines—Is Ordered Out.

George Dunphy, 40 years old, of Seattle, Wash., an oil stock salesman who has been living recently at the Illini Hotel, Alton, and at 5602 Washington court, St. Louis, gave a Post-Dispatch reporter yesterday his account of a call which he made on United States District Judge Dyer in the Judge's office a week ago Thursday to protest against the reported policy of the Judge to dismiss disloyalty cases with fines.

Dunphy said he asked Judge Dyer whether the report was true, and that the Judge asked him what he had to say about it. He replied that he had two brothers in France, one of whom had been blinded by a German gas bomb. He said the Judge then declared that he did not care if Dunphy had a dozen brothers in France, and told him to get out, threatening to call the Marshal and to arraign him in court. Dunphy said he left, slamming the door. He said his brothers in France were in the Canadian forces.

Judge Dyer refused to say anything about Dunphy's visit.

'THIRD-TERM PRESIDENT AND HIS NAME WON'T BE ROOSEVELT'

Statement in Talk of Senator Thompson, in Kansas to Speak for Administration.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 23 (Special).—Kansa is wondering if Senator William H. Thompson, fresh from Washington, announced the candidacy of President Wilson for a third term. A speech delivered by Thompson yesterday to Kansas Democrats contained a significant sentence that caused the crowd to sit up and take notice.

"There will be a third-term President, and his name will not be Roosevelt," the Senator said.

The Senator was attacking Roosevelt and paused for applause at this point. He got it. The Democrats present seized the suggestion and cheered for Wilson. Importance is attached to Thompson's statement because he came to Kansas to "speak for the administration.

"TORPEDO PROOF" SHIP DEPARTS

A GULF PORT, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—The former Austrian steamer Lucia, equipped with a new "nonsinkable" system, has sailed from here with a cargo.

The steamer is equipped with more than 12,000 air and water tight cells, which the inventor claims will keep the vessel afloat even should she be torpedoed.

A description of how the Lucia was equipped with water-tight boxes, together with interesting figures on cost and displacement, will be found in today's issue of the Post-Dispatch Magazine.

COLDER TOMORROW AND TUESDAY, THEN WARMER

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair and warm today; tomorrow partly cloudy and somewhat cold.

Yesterday's temperatures:

8 a. m.	39	4 p. m.	68
12 (noon)	52	9 p. m.	44



Extremes are to be avoided in this week's weather, according to the prediction of the Weather Bureau for this week in the Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valley region, including St. Louis. The forecast is: Colder Monday and Tuesday, with light local snows in northern portion and local rains in southern portion, followed by fair and warmer; probably continuing until end of week.

FOOTBALL STAR ONE OF 5 FLYERS KILLED IN DAY

Horace Higginbotham and Congressman's Son in Accidents at Camp Near Fort Worth.

TWO MACHINES COLLIDE

Instructor and Two Cadets Fall to Death at Field Near Memphis, Tenn.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—Horace Higginbotham, former football star at Yale and a cadet naval aviator at Hicks Field, near here, was killed early this afternoon when the airplane in which he was flying fell 1000 feet. Ensign Frank Lynch, also of the naval flying corps, who was piloting the plane, was probably fatally injured in the crash.

The wreck was discovered about an hour after the crash by a farmer who had seen the plane fall. He thought at the time that the aviators were descending in full control of the machine.

Higginbotham was the son of R. W. Higginbotham, a wealthy business man of Dallas, Tex.

Lynch arrived here recently from Hampton Roads, after a period of training in Canada with the British Royal Flying Corps. His home is in Lawrence, Mass.

Cadet Franklin Fairchild was killed this afternoon when his airplane fell near Everman Field. Fairchild came here from Pelham, N. Y., Feb. 1. He was the only son of Benjamin L. Fairchild of Pelham, N. Y., Representative in Congress from the Twenty-fourth New York District.

THREE AVIATORS KILLED WHEN 2 PLANES COLLIDE

Former Instructor at Scott Field and Two Cadets in Accident Near Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—A civilian flying instructor and two cadets at the United States avintion training school at Park Field, near here, were killed in a collision between two airplanes shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The dead are Guy H. Reagl of Chicago, civilian instructor, and James H. Webb of Rome, Ga., and Robert Gray Jr. of Long Island, N. Y., flying cadets.

The collision occurred when the planes were up about 500 feet. Instructor Reagle and Cadet Webb were in a regular instruction machine working out of the southern half of the flying field. Cadet Gray, who lacked but one hour's work at range finding before completing his training for a commission as a second lieutenant, was in the other machine and was operating out of the northern part of the flying field. The machines met in what is known as the neutral strip of air which divides the two portions of the flying field.

Reagle and Webb had made one circle of the southern field and were headed west, climbing for altitude. Gray had circled the northern field once and was going east on what he had intended to be a cross-country trip.

The airplane carrying the two men was slightly higher than the one driven by Gray and crashed through the right wing of the other machine. Both machines hurtled downward out of control and struck the earth about 200 feet apart.

Cadet Gray came to Park Field Nov. 25 last from the ground school at Princeton University. Cadet Webb came from the ground school at the Georgia Institute of Technology, Jan. 15. Instructor Reagle came from his home in Chicago, Dec. 10, previously having been engaged as civilian instructor at Rantoul, Ill., and Belleville, Ill.

6 PERSONS BRUISED IN CAR CRASH

Hamilton and Hodiamont Coaches Collide, Both eBing Derailed.

Two women and four men were bruised in a collision of a southbound Hamilton car and a westbound Hodiamont car at Hamilton avenue and Hodiamont tracks shortly after 8 o'clock last night. Slippery rails were blamed by the motorman of the Hamilton car, which skidded into the Hodiamont coach, derailing both.

The injured passengers were: Miss Pauline Cornwall, 23, 5288 Page bb; Mrs. Mary A. Shaw, 67, of Rolla, Mo., a guest of Miss Cornwall; Leo Johnson, 18, 6310 Wagner avenue; Charles Harrison, 28, 6531 Chamberlain avenue; John F. Corey, 29, 5976 Harland avenue, and Jacob Heiken 29, 6419 Myrtle avenue.

42 AUTO DRIVERS ARRESTED

Most of Them Without Tail Lights on Machines.

Forty-two automobile drivers were arrested last night on Locust and Chestnut streets, west of Twenty-second street, for failure to comply with regulations governing lights.

Most of those arrested were without tail lights. Others had but one light showing, others not any.

FIST BLOW GAVE AMERICANS FIRST GERMAN PRISONER

Teuton Knocked Out With Straight Right When Bayonets Could Not Be Used.

FIGHT IN NO MAN'S LAND

Soldier Who Punched His Regiment Into Fame Cock of Walk on Aisne Front.

BY FLOYD GIBBONS.

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WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Feb. 23.—"We got the first one!" This phrase best expresses the exultation now enjoyed by members of that particular organization of American fighting men located on the Chemin des Dames front.

The capture of the first real German prisoner is the proudest distinction which one particular branch of Uncle Sam's army and one particular regiment, with civil war tradition will ever cherish.

Correspondents attached to the United States expeditionary forces are not yet permitted to remain with these troops in the valley of the Aisne, but an unoffical account of the capture was brought to correspondents' headquarters.

Unofficial Account of Capture

It is as follows:

On the night of Feb. 19 a patrol of 10 Americans and 10 Frenchmen went over the top to inspect the German wire. The dual patrol was commanded by a French lieutenant and an American lieutenant. Near the German wire the French and Americans encountered an enemy patrol and both sides opened fire at once.

The Americans and French dropped side by side to the ground and began pumping their rifles at the Germans, who returned the fire several minutes and then started to withdraw. Two of the French patrol had been killed and four wounded in the opening exchange of shots, but the remainedr joined the Americans and started in pursuit of the fleeing Germans.

The latter apparently were confused and unable to find an opening which would admit them to safety behind their wire. When at last they found their exit all could not get through at once and the hindmost one turned with extended bayonet, ready to meet a tall, onrushing American who also carried his bayonet in a businesslike position.

The German thrust his weapon at the American's breast. The American parried the thrust but found himself unable to recover his position for a counter thrust.

The German was in the same predicament. The American did the next best thing. He dropped his rifle and landed a straight-from-the-shoulder blow with his fist on the German's chin. The man dropped like a stone.

Meantime the remainder of the enemy had escaped through the wire and were fleeing before the fire of the French and American patrol, which had come up. Then, knowing the Germans would probably drop a barrage to cut them off, the members of the party returned to its trenches. Two of them carried between them a heavy German, who was still sleeping.

The prisoner revived five minutes later in a front line dugout, took one bewildered look into the strange faces over him, lisped a sleepy "kamerad," and closed his eyes.

Fallen Frenchman Brought in

The losses in the French patrol were now observed. The American lieutenant called for volunteers and picked one out of the ten who responded for a risky job. The Germans were spraying No Man's Land with a machine gun barrage which they had turned on as soon as their beaten patrol had returned to their lines. The lieutenant and his volunteers started over the top once more in the face of it. Within 15 minutes they had made two trips to the wire and each time brought back two wounded Frenchmen.

The French officer sent the names of both to headquarters with recommendations for the croix de guerre.

The folks back home will soon see through the medium of the movies the face of the man who punched his regiment's name to fame by way of a German chin. He is now cock of the walk in the valley of the Aisne. Probably the proudest walking he ever did was on the morning after the capture when, in full equipment, he marched his prisoner down the village street and past the blinking lens of a motion picture camera.

GENERAL SURRENDERS RANK

Johnson Becomes Major So He May See Service.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (By A. P.).—Because of a desire for active service, Brig. Gen. Samuel I. Johnson, commanding the Hawaiian division of the National Guard, has surrendered that rank and accepted a commission as major in the National Army. Army orders today show that he has been assigned as adjutant of the fifteenth Infantry brigade, regular, at Camp Fremont, Palo Alto, Cal.

HOW AMERICANS MOVED UP TO THE CHEMIN DES DAMES

They Couldn't Resist Peeping Over Parapets and Some Casualties Resulted.

ARE BILLETED IN CAVES

General Hastens to Learn Where Dugouts Are When Shell Bursts Near Him.

BY LINCOLN EYRE,
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HEADQUARTERS FRENCH ARMY, Feb. 11 (delayed by censor).—"To hunt in company with trained huntsmen, savage beasts fenced in by our barbed wire," as a French corps commander phrased it, American troops have gone into line in the Chemin des Dames sector.

For the first weeks they will be scattered, company by company, among French battalions, in much the same fashion as the first contingent was grouped during its instructional period in the Rhine-Marne Canal sector last October.

Once their trench training is completed, however, they will hunt the Germans on their own hook, most likely by the side of seasoned American troops holding the line northwest of Toul. By this I don't mean that part of the front assigned to the United States will continue to be in the Toul region, for that, of course, is a question answerable only by our high command, but merely that some day all the American fronts will be together under their own leadership exclusively.

Troops began moving into the trenches in Soissonais—the scene of some of the bitterest battles of the war—the night before last. Their losses during the first 48 hours were negligible. Half a dozen men were wounded and one killed by shell fire, which the recklessness of individuals brought down upon one battalion. Insufficiently appreciatve of the perils of exposing oneself to enemy observers, some adventurous spirits insisted upon peering over the edge of the parapets. Not only did they draw the German fire, but they probably enabled the Germans to identify them as Americans owing to glimpses of American helmets and olive-drab uniforms.

Traveled in Troop Trains.

This foolhardiness disappeared after the men had undergone the first day's experience with the fighting line. Their passage was carried out with far less hardship and stress than was the painful hike of the regiments which relieved the French northwest of Toul. They traveled in troop trains and the time spent en route from the training area to the rail heads in this region seldom exceeded 18 hours. A brigade commander, who had allowed 21 hours as a minimum, found, when he rolled up in his automobile, that his troops were there ahead of him.

The first battalion to detrain was received by a guard of honor, consisting of a noted French battalion, and the ceremony of saluting the colors was gone through to the music of combined French and American bands. The commander of the French army corps under whose jurisdiction the men come, kissed the Stars and Stripes and made a little speech of welcome to the newcomers—he is one of a half dozen French Generals known the world over as having commanded one of the great armies of France in the first months of the war.

Practically all the units in the Soissonais are quartered in places wrested from the Germans less than a year ago in the French offensive of April, 1917. Most of them actually live in trenches, in dugouts, huts and other shelters built and once inhabited by the enemy. Staffs are installed in neat little houses tucked away under ledges of rock or camouflaged with painstaking Teutonic ingenuity. At least one of them is outwardly exactly as it was under enemy occupation. Meantime a Brigadier-General and his aids are humorously apprehensive of what may befall them.

The General, as it happened, had never been at the front before his arrival yesterday—he has not been in the trenches yet. "Just for that reason," he told me, "I didn't want to appear nervous and so hesitated to ask whether there were any dugouts anywhere around. I haven't seen any—instead of that I nonchalantly inquired if the Germans ever shelled this place. 'A shell fell here about six months ago, but none ever comes nowadays,' they told me. An hour later something I had no difficulty in identifying as a German shell, although it was the first time I had heard one, exploded about 200 yards away. It was followed by about 50 others in rapid succession. While it went on we just sat tight, there being nothing else to do, but as soon as it stopped I found out where the dugouts were without further hesitation."

General Rapidly Promoted.

None of the shells fell near enough to do any damage. This General holds a record for the rapidity of his promotion. He enlisted in an infantry regiment as a private just after the United States entered the war. He was made a Captain next

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Where Germans Are Advancing; Map of New Ukrainian Republic



$215 A WEEK TO SOME STEEL ROLLERS HERE

175 Men Average $4000 to $5000 a Year, Says Official of Stamping Company.

Rollers employed at the St. Louis and Granite City plants of the National Enameling and Stamping Co. are making as much as $215 a week, working eight hours a day, an official of the company said to a Post-Dispatch reporter yesterday.

He explained that rollers were paid on a tonnage basis, and that such a figure was unusal, but estimated that many of the 175 rollers employed in the two plants average $4000 to $5000 a year.

Rolling steel is one of the forms of labor requiring the highest degree of skill, although men sometimes serve their apprenticeship in three or four years. The work consists of superintending the heating of steel bars that are to be rolled, adjusting the rolls and feeding the steel into them. It is done by hand, the roller feeding the steel bars and sheets with tongs. It is not injurious to health.

Adjusting the rolls requires a thorough knowledge, as the difference between some of the gauges is only 1-144 of an inch. Also, the steel must be rolled at an exact heat. If not, the product is faulty, and the roller is responsible for the quality of all he turns out. He is not paid for steel which is rejected.

The official asserted that it was not unusual for a roller to earn $40 in a day. The amount depends on the thickness of the sheeting that is being turned out, thicker sheets being much more quickly produced. Rollers are paid a higher scale for thinner sheeting.

It also was explained that the rollers' wages were dependent on the price of steel, under a contract the union has with the company. The last increase was about three months ago.

RED CROSS NEEDS 25 MEN FOR SERVICE IN FRANCE AT ONCE

Requirements Are Knowledge of French and Possession of Executive Ability.

St. Louisans who speak French, who have executive ability and who desire to help win the war by doing Red Cross work abroad can be on the way to France within a few days by applying to the Southwestern Division headquarters of the Red Cross in the Railway Exchange Building.

A hurry call for 25 men with these qualification has been received. Men are wanted for Red Cross field chiefs of military relief, for zone commanders, for field representatives, for canteen work and the like. Following is a list of the positions to be filled:

Field representatives, canteen workers at the front, office managers, chief section of insurance district delegates and executives for transportation department. For the latter and the chief section of insurance knowledge of French is not required.

NAVAL RECRUITS MAKE SPECTATORS UNCOVER

Hats-Off-to-Flag Signs Carried by Men Departing for Training Camp.

A hats-off-to-the-flag campaign to educate St. Louisans in flag etiquette was launched last night by Lieut. F. W. Wilson of the naval recruiting office at Seventh and Chestnut streets, who sent out recruits carrying "Take off your hat" signs and officers to publicly rebuke those who failed to show proper respect to the Stars and Stripes.

The hats-off instruction was given in connection with a patriotic demonstration and parade, followed by a rally at the Railroad Y. M. C. A., Twentieth and Eugenia streets, incidental to the departure of 100 naval recruits for San Francisco, where they will go into training for service.

The hats-off signs carried in the parade did not cause all of the spectators to uncover as the colors passed by, but the "calling down" that the naval officers gave the hats-on offenders had the intended effect. Singularly, some of the offenders were soldiers, who failed to stand at salute. Each of these was given a brief but caustic reminder of the regulations.

Lieut. Wilson says that St. Louisans are worse offenders in this way than the people of other cities where he has been. He thinks that it is due to thoughtlessness, and that a few reminders such as was given last evening will correct the fault.

The recruits, escorted by a drum corps of 32 girls from the East St. Louis plant of Armour & Co. and Naval Boy Scouts, proceeded to the Y. M. C. A. hut, where refreshments were served and entertainment provided until train time. Parents and friends of the men, many of whom were St. Louisans, gathered there to bid farewell. Each of the enlisted men was provided with gift packages containing confections, tobacco and stationery by women members of the Welfare Committee.

Nearly 1000 recruits are in St. Louis, awaiting call, and detachments will be sent away regularly from now on. About 500 will depart on March 2. The navy has obtained 472 men here since Jan. 1.

BOY OF 3 KILLED IN 15TH AUTO FATALITY OF YEAR

Driver of Truck Released When Police Are Told Child Ran in Front of Vehicle.

Raymond Lohaus, 3-year-old son of Herman and Rosa Lohaus, 321 Kraus street, was injured fatally by an automobile truck driven by Theodore Kohler, a merchant of Antonia, Mo., in the 6800 block on Michigan avenue, at 5 p. m. yesterday. The boy died half an hour later.

Kohler was released after three witnesses told the police that the child ran in front of the automobile.

It was the fifteenth automobile fatality in the city since Jan. 1.

GERMAN DEMANDS INCREASED IN NEW TERMS TO RUSSIA

Line Indicated at Brest-Litovsk Must Be Advanced in the Region of Dvinsk to the Eastern Frontier of Courland.

Reported Teuton Offer Calls for Evacuation by Russian Troops of Parts of Esthonia and Livonia.

Berlin Announces That the Invading Troops Have Arrived at Town 90 Miles Northeast of Riga.

LONDON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—A Russian wireless Government statement received here tonight says:

"Germany will renew the peace negotiations and will conclude peace on the following conditions:

"Both to declare the war ended.

"All regions west of the line indicated at Brest-Litovsk to the Russian delegation which formerly belonged to Russia, to be no longer under the territorial protection of Russia.

"In the region of Dvinsk this line must be advanced to the eastern frontier of Courland.

"The former attachment of these regions to the Russian state must in no case involve for them obligations toward Russia. Russia renounces every claim to intervene in the internal affairs of these regions.

"Germany and Austria-Hungary have the intention to define further the fate of these regions in agreement with their populations.

"Germany is ready, after the completion of Russian demobilization, to evacuate the regions which are east of the above line. So far as it is not stated otherwise, Livonia and Esthonia must immediately be cleared of Russian troops and Red Guards.

To Be Policed By Germans.

"Livonia and Esthonia will be occupied by German police until the date when the Constitution of the respective countries shall guarantee their social security and political order. All inhabitants who were arrested for political reasons must be released immediately.

"Russia will conclude peace with the Ukrainian people's republic. Ukraine and Finland will be immediately evacuated by Russian troops and Red Guards.

"Russia will do all in its power to secure for Turkey the orderly return of its Anatolian frontiers. Russia recognizes the annulation of the Turkish capitulation.

"The complete demobilization of the Russian army, inclusive of the detachments newly formed by the present Government, must be carried out immediately.

Withdrawal of Warships.

"Russian warships in the Black Sea, the Baltic Sea and the Arctic Ocean must immediately either be sent to Russian harbors and kept there until the conclusion of peace or be disarmed. Warships of the Entente which are in the sphere of Russian authority must be regarded as Russian ships.

"Merchant navigation of the Black Sea and Baltic Sea must be renewed as stated in the armistice treaty. The clearing away of mines is to begin immediately. The blockade of the Arctic Ocean is to remain in force until the conclusion of a general peace.

"The Russo-German commercial treaty of 1914 must be enforced again. In addition, there must be guarantee for the free export, without tariff, of ores and the immediate commencement of negotiations for the conclusion of a new commercial treaty, with a guarantee of the most favored nation treatment, at least until 1925, even in the case of the termination of the provisorium, and finally the sanction of all clauses corresponding to paragraph 15 of clauses 3, 5 and 15 of the Ukraine peace treaty.

"Legal and political regulations are to be regulated in accordance with the decision of the first version of the Germano-Russian convention. So far as action on that decision has not yet been taken, especially with respect to indemnities for civil damages, this must be in accordance with the German proposal. And there must be indemnification with expenditures for war prisoners, in accordance with the Russian proposal.

Must End Propaganda.

"Russia will permit and support, as far as she can, German commissions for war prisoners, civil prisoners and war refugees.

"Russia promises to put an end to every propaganda and agitation, either on the part of the Government or on the part of persons supported by the Government, against members of the quadruple alliance and their political and military institutions.

even in localities occupied by the Central Powers.

"The above conditions must be accepted within 48 hours. The Russian plenipotentiaries must start immediately for Brest-Litovsk and sign at that place within three days a peace treaty, which must be ratified within two weeks."

The foregoing, adds the Russian official statement, is dated Berlin, Feb. 21, and is signed by Von Kuehlmann (the German Foreign Secretary) and Lieutenant-General (name omitted), Commander in Chief of the army.

AUSTRIA REPEATS IT IS NOT AIDING IN RUSSIAN INVASION

Premier Says Peace Negotiations With Rumania Will Begin in a Few Days.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—The Austrian Premier, Dr. von Seydler, addressing the lower house at Vienna Friday, declared again:

"Austria-Hungary is not participating in the military action which Germany at present is taking against Russia. There has been no advance of Austro-Hungarian troops into Ukraine, with which we are at peace.

"With regard to Rumania, an armistice exists between Austria-Hungary and that country. Peace negotiations will begin within the next few days."

The Premier's statement was received with applause from all parts of the house."

GERMANY'S REPLY TO RUSSIAN PEACE OFFER ON THE WAY

Bolshevik Courier Taking It to Petrograd — Austria Also Sends Message.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—The Bolshevik headquarters has received a wireless message signed by Gen. Hoffman saying the German answer had been handed to the courier of the Russian Government, who immediately started on his return to Petrograd. The message gave no intimation of the contents of the reply.

A second wireless message, addressed to Leon Trotzky, from the Austro-Hungarian Government has been received announcing that Austria-Hungary is ready, with her allies, to bring the peace negotiations to a final conclusion.

The Germans in their invasion of Russia are advancing in three groups, according to a report from the Commander in Chief of the Russian army on the northern front, who says:

"The Germans are advancing with great caution. They are marching in three groups. First, in the Walk region; second in the Rieshitsa region, and the third between these two sections. In the Mohilev sector all is quiet."

Germans Said to Be Not Far From Russian Naval Base of Reval.

LONDON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—The Germans, according to the latest dispatches from Petrograd, are meeting with little or no opposition in their newest invasion of Russia, whose disorganized and scattered army is taking no notice of the appeal of the Bolsheviki to engage in guerilla warfare.

Livonia is completely overrun with the German armies, and the Germans are not far from the outskirts of the naval base of Reval, the evacuation of which could hardly be completed, as Petrograd dispatches say the soldiers refuse to assist in the work. At Minsk the Germans are astride one of the main routes to Moscow, while further south Germans and Ukrainians are on their way to Kiev. Until the Ukrainian peace, these Ukrainian soldiers were prisoners of war, but have since been released and armed by the Central Powers.

Meanwhile the Bolsheviki are publishing appeals to the people to resist the invaders, and there is talk at Petrograd of convoking the constituent assembly.

Some of the agency headquarters say that units of the German army are refusing to participate in the invasion, while disorders have been observed among the Austrians.

The headquarters of the Russian Western army has been moved to Smolensk, 25 miles southwest of Moscow. The change was made in such haste that the staff lost touch with the various armies.

Petrograd newspapers, it is said, report that Russian soldiers on the northern front seized 27 trains which were being used to carry 40,000 soldiers to Moscow. The Germans are taking no prisoners, merely disarming the Russians and liberating them.

German airplanes, the Petrograd correspondent of the Times says, are distributing proclamations calling on the Russian people to remain calm and keep order as the Germans are coming to suppress anarchy and to bring food as soon as possible.

The Bolsheviki are greatly perturbed and depressed. Foreign Minister Trotzky is reported to be sick in consequence of renewal of hostilities and is unable to attend meetings of the Council of Peoples' Commissaries which are being held constantly.

The Times correspondent reports some anxiety in the British colony in Petrograd and the consulate there being crowded with persons wishing to get away. A British military order directs all Englishmen of military age who have been exempted from service up to this time to hold themselves ready to start for home at six hours' notice. Other British subjects, especially women and children, have been advised to leave Russia without delay.

A dispatch to the Express from Petrograd, dated Thursday, says that Bolshevik Foreign Minister Trotzky started yesterday for Dvinsk "to take measures to liquidate the new hostilities."

It is stated in military circles that the Commander in Chief of the German invaders is the Grand Duke of Hesse, brother of the former Russian Empress, says the newspaper.

Original German Demand Was for 160,000 Square Miles and $1,500,000,000

PETROGRAD, Wednesday, Feb. 20 (By A. P.).

THE peace terms submitted at the Brest-Litovsk conference by the Central Powers were as follows:

Russia should surrender 160,000 square miles of territory having a population of 18,000,000 and pay an indemnity subsequently modified to 3,000,000 rubles ($1,500,000,000). The Central Powers were prepared to return to Russia 7000 square miles in the Grodno Government province of Lithuania.

Russia should agree not to spread revolutionary propaganda in the Central Empires.

The commercial treaty which was abrogated at the beginning of the war should be reconstituted and extended 30 years.

Reports reaching Petrograd are to the effect that the newest German demands include the policing of all the principal cities of Russia.

The Bolshevik authorities are ready to accept the peace terms originally outlined by the Central Powers and also to accede to a demand that Russia evacuate the small portion of Austrian territory still held, as well as Armenian and all other territory captured from Turkey.

A dispatch from Petrograd under date of Feb. 15 quoted Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevik Foreign Minister, as declaring in his report upon the ending of the Brest-Litovsk negotiations that the German terms included the retention of Poland, Lithuania, Riga and Moon Island, with an indemnity of 4,000,000,000 pounds, presumably in gold. It will be seen from the foregoing dispatch that the Teutonic demands, both in territory and indemnity, were much less than those reported by M. Trotzky.

Turkish Army in the Caucasus Begins an Offensive.

LONDON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—The Turkish army in the Caucasus, has begun an offensive, a correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company wires from the headquarters of the Russian Western army. The attack was started before the expiration of the armistice. The Turks occupied Platana and paralyzed the evacuation by the Caucasian Corps which is now grouped along the coast.

Platana is a small Turkish port on the Black Sea Coast in the Vilayet of Trebizond, 15 miles west of the city of Trebizond and 100 miles west of the Russian border At the height of their successes in Turkey the Russians pushed considerably west of Platana and also well to the south, occupying all of Turkish Armenia.

Long after fighting ceased on the Russo-Galician front the Russian troops in the Caucasus kept up the campaign but for several weeks no reports from this front have been received. The Russians agreed at Brest-Litovsk to evacuate Turkish territory and the withdrawal was under way at the time of the new Turkish attack. Occupation of Platana would cut off the retreat of Russian forces along the coast west of that point.

HOW AMERICANS WENT INTO LINE IN FAMOUS CHEMIN DES DAMES SECTOR

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day and by successive leaps became Brigadier-General a few weeks ago. Of course he had military training before.

I visited one of the cantonments immediately behind the front, in which a battalion awaiting its turn in the trenches is billeted. A thousand men are spaciously housed in an immense cavern, partly natural in formation, partly blasted out by the Germans during their long tenancy of it. Caves of this kind abound in the Soissonais country, which is full of quarries and peculiar rock formations. They run down 30 or 40 feet under a layer of solid rock, and, of course, are impervious to the heaviest deluge of high explosives.

"You ought to have seen their faces as they marched down in here the other night," a Captain remarked. "They thought they were going to be in a quarry and found themselves in a good imitation of the mammoth cave."

They got used to the strangeness of their surroundings very quickly, however, for when I saw them they had settled down in most matter-of-fact style. Each company was assigned a certain part of the subterranean barracks and sentries were posted to keep the doughboys from straying off and losing themselves, a mighty easy thing to do. Entrances to grottoes, as the French call them, and galleries winding about through rock, have been named after American cities—New York, Brooklyn, New Orleans, Washington—and illuminated signs indicate one's whereabouts. Battalion and company officers were in little chambers separated with wooden partitions.

Grottoes Electrically Lighted.

Men slept on low wooden bunks covered with straw. A small generator supplied enough electricity to keep a few incandescents burning, but the electrical system is being extended, and soon the grottoes will look like the Great White Way before the fuel administrator got busy.

It was an uncanny walk along the pitch dark passages, hearing American voices singing "My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean" or "Dinah, De Moon Am Shining." The men were writing letters, reading, shaving by candle light or singing by no light at all. They are forbidden to leave the cave except when on duty, in order to reduce the risk of detection by hostile airplanes. For the present their work is limited to policing the premises, carrying fuel for rolling kitchens and similar odd jobs, but before many days have passed they will be getting plenty of exercise in the trenches.

Kitchens are lined up outdoors in a camouflage corner of the quarry, looking like a battery of howitzers. The Germans, I am informed, kept theirs in the same place and called them "Hungerabwehr Cannonen"—cannons for prevention of hunger. Food is carried down into the cavern in marmite cans—huge caldrons—each carried by two men.

From the grottoes this battalion will hike right into the firing line. They will find themselves then in trenches constructed by the French after they hurled the enemy down the slope from the Chemin des Dames in that famous drive of Oct. 22 last, which finished the job of freeing Soissons begun by Nivelle in the previous April. The ground from Soissons itself to the front lines resembles the face of the moon, pock-marked with shell craters, gashed with disused trenches and gun emplacements, alive with interminable strands of snakelike, rusty barbed wire.



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Inter-Allied Conference of Labor Adopts British Labor's War Aims Program

Declarations Agree Largely With Those of President Wilson and Lloyd George—International Meeting Proposed.

LONDON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—The inter-allied labor conference, which ended its sessions here today, has accepted the war aims program as enunciated by British labor Dec. 28, and the next step probably will be the calling of an international conference at an early date, including both labor and socialism.

At a luncheon given today in honor of the foreign delegates to the conference Arthur Henderson, former member of the war cabinet, and leader of the labor party, described the action of the conference as declaring for the establishment of a league of nations, involving international co-operation for disarmament and the prevention of warfare in the future, the restoration of Belgium, Serbia, Rumania and Montenegro, and only territorial changes in the future based on justice and right.

People's Peace Aimed At.

Henderson declared that the peace aimed at was of the peoples, and that the peoples must stand behind it, and he added that labor was prepared to go on with the war until all the conditions insisted upon for a permanent peace were met.

James Ramsay MacDonald, Socialist and Labor member of Parliament, said the next step of labor and Socialism was to bring the matter before the German and Austrian people themselves.

The program as adopted corresponds in general to the declarations of President Wilson and Premier Lloyd George. It has the support of the Socialist or labor parties of England, France, Italy, Belgium, Portugal, Rumania and South Africa. The social revolutionary or minimalist Russians telegraphed an indorsement of British labor's war aims and added that they had tried to send delegates to London, but that Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevik Foreign Minister, had refused passports.

The discussions of the conference's war aims were enlivened by the divergent views expressed by various delegations, particularly the Italians, on the subject of territorial adjustments, but a fairly satisfactory compromise or generalization was reached in each case where a disagreement was threatened. The general tone of the conference was in no way pacifist or pro-German, and the discussions revealed a sincere resolve among widely separated factions to reach unity.

Minimum of Labor's Demands.

The program which finally resulted was passed unanimously. The French delegate, Albert Thomas, the former Minister of Munitions, declared:

"The war aims as outlined are the absolute minimum which we will accept, and if anybody tries to foist on us a peace not embodying these terms it will mean a revolution which will not halt until justice has been secured, even if that takes 15 years." Henderson also declared that the program could be regarded as the minimum demands of the laboring classes of all the allied countries.

Emile Vandervelde, Socialist leader in the Belgian Chamber of Deputies, and Minister of State, said: "Whether we are victorious or not, these will remain our war aims, and we shall strive unremittingly for them."

The only section of the conference's declaration to which the allied Government are likely to take exception is the clause insisting on an immediate conference between the Socialists of the allied countries and Germany, and this clause had the enthusiastic support of the entire conference.

Besides adoping the formal war aims program, the conference adopted a resolution to convene an international Socialist conference to sit concurrently with the official peace conference, and also demanded that at least one Socialist should be included by every nation in the official delegation at the peace conference.

Delegation Coming to U. S.

The conference voted to send five delegates to the United States "for the purpose of conferring with the representatives of the American democracy on the war situation."

The delegation will be headed by Camille Huysmans, secretary of the international Socialist organization, the other members to be selected by the French, British, Italian and Belgian Socialists, respectively.

"If the Americans won't come to us, we must go to them," said one delegate. The delegates will undertake to confer with President Wilson and Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor.

Vandervelde declared: "It is absolutely essential to have the Americans with us in our effort to establish a basis for a democratic peace. The day when American labor will join us is surely not far distant. The United States may have been late in entering the war, but I cannot believe that the American working classes will be late in joining us in shouldering labor's share of the war's responsibility."

British labor's war aims, Henderson said in his address, are its irreducible minimum, "and as soon as they are secured we desire to enter into the fullest international intercourse with all the nations of the world."

"We repudiate," he said, "any and every attempt to institute an economic boycott or bring about economic isolation of Germany. We aim at obtaiging a peace of the peoples but the peoples themselves must be the guarantors. On these conditions not only are we prepared to carry on the war but to see to it that we shall secure a just peace.

"We are convinced that this world conflict can only be ended in one of three ways—the absolute predominance of all militarism; the exhaustion of all the combatants, or by conciliation. We believe that sooner or later the last of these methods must be resorted to by all the belligerents."

Henderson described as "foolish talk" the statements that British labor and British socialism were only concerned in holding out the olive branch to the enemy; in fact, we're going to negotiate with an olive branch in their hands, when the enemy had a sword in his hands.

Far From Facts, He Says.

"Don't you believe it," said Henderson. "Nothing is further from the fact. We are willing to negotiate with the enemy, but not with an olive branch in our hands while he clutches a sword in both of his. No! We look into the future and regard the problem with all seriousness and the importance it demands. Both sides must be prepared to accept a solution which will have for its main object the destruction of militarism."

The conference having reached an agreement, the next duty, said Henderson, was to do everything possible to hold an international conference under proper conditions and as speedily as possible.

The Durham Miners' Association has decided to support the Government's man-power bill and also that the various miners' associations ing the 50,000 miners who, the Gov should assist in the work of select ernment's bill provides, are to be drawn from the mines.

NEGRO, AT SECOND TRIAL, GETS 30 YEARS ADDED TO SENTENCE

Getting a new trial cost Adolphus Fuller, a negro, 30 years in the penitentiary. A jury in the criminal court returned a verdict last night, finding him guilty of the murder of Policeman Isaac A. Kidwell on May 10, 1916, and fixing his punishment at 40 years in the penitentiary.

Fuller was tried in November and was given 10 years in prison. He appealed and got a new trial.

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DIPLOMATS READY, FRANCIS SAYS, TO QUIT PETROGRAD

If Germans Move Too Close Envoys May Seek Safety of British Fleet at Kola.

BOLSHEVIKI FALL SEEN

Washington Believes That Party Would Lose Power if Capital Was Seized.

By Leased Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The State Department today received from Ambassador Francis at Petrograd a cablegram dated Feb. 18, reporting that the Council of Workmen and Soldiers' Deputies was preparing to defend Petrograd against the expected attack by German troops.

According to the American Ambassador, allied diplomats probably will leave the Russian capital if the German forces approach dangerously close. It was not indicated by Ambassador Francis where the allied diplomats will go if they leave Petrograd. Francis will use his discretion. The belief was expressed here that the diplomats probably will not leave Russia, but retire to Kola on the Murmansk coast; which is now controlled by British naval vessels.

There is no certainty in Washington that the Germans propose to occupy Petrograd, but the conviction is growing that the capture of the Russian capital is one of their important objectives. Possession of Petrograd, it was pointed out, would mean virtually the complete over throw of Bolsheviki authority. Petrograd is the heart and center of Bolsheviki power and authority. With the city in the hands of German military authorities, it is doubted that the Bolsheviki would be able to maintain its hold on either military or civil functions.

May Restore Czar to Throne.

The possibility that Germany might seek to set up a complete Government in Petrograd, including members of the Russian family, and even the deposed Czar Nicholas himself, was one of the points discussed here today.

The German advance into Russia, its arrest not having been reported yet, is expected to operate to prevent the continuance of the shipping of relief supplies for the present at least, from the United States to Kola for distribution in European Russia. Likewise the continued sending of provisions from this country to Rumania is threatened.

Military experts declared today that the further the German lines penetrate into Russia, the greater will be the number of troops required to maintain them, as the advance necessitates a widening of the front and without being strengthened they would become so attenuated as to be dangerous for the Germans themselves.

These authorities also predicted that the advantages accruing to the Central Powers from the Russian debacle in all probability would be seized upon by the German Imperial Chancellor as an opportunity for making a more definite pronouncement in regard to peace than the German Government has uttered. One officer, seeing the political possibilities resulting from the seemingly complete collapse of Russia said:

Peace Would Strengthen Germany.

"It would not be surprising if Germany soon will express a willingness to conclude peace on terms that she would make it appear to be to the interests of the allies to accept, provided Germany be given carte blanche to treat Russia as she pleases. A peace on such a basis, though, would leave Germany very much stronger than she was at the commencement of the war, and a greater menace than ever both to peace and to the free institutions of the world.

"Such a peace would empower Germany to annex, first, the Baltic provinces, which would restrict Russia's internal communications more than at any time since Peter the Great and plant the seeds of fresh discords between the maritime Powers. Such a peace would drive Russia to the very borders of Europe and leave her an Asiatic rather than a European nation. It would also make the Scandinavian countries economic dependents of Germany because of the mastery Germany would acquire of the Baltic and the channels to the North Sea, and, of course, her route to the East through the Balkans and via Turkey would not be interfered with in the least. The allies and America never could assent to a peace involving such great dangers to the future peace of the world."

There are 150 Americans in Petrograd, including 30 women. Forty-five are connected with the diplomatic and consular establishments.

16 TUSCANIA DEAD IDENTIFIED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—The War Department tonight gave out an additional list of the names of 16 identified dead American soldiers who lost their lives in the torpedoing of the liner Tuscania by a German submarine, Feb. 6. Ten of them previously had been reported in Associated Press dispatches from a Scottish port.

The seven not previously identified were Privates Sterling Collonn, St. James, Ark.; Arthur N. Harvey, Eau Claire, Wis.; Joseph R. Redfield, Glendale, Ore.; Edward L. Routt, Pecan Gap, Tex.; Thomas S. Wasson, Kosciusko, Miss., and Claude W. Walker, Los Angeles.

GERMAN ALLIANCE ACCUSED OF SPREADING TEUTON PROPAGANDA

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That policy is to destroy the national spirit of a nation. It is the plan of the German general staff. It knows that if the people of a nation have no red-hot flaming national spirit they will not die in the trenches for their country. It wanted to destroy the national spirit of the United States. It nearly succeeded. A few more years and it would have succeeded. The war saved the United States. This is the real meaning and purpose of the German-American Alliance. I do not say that all members of the alliance have realized that this was so."

Wrote Book Attacking Alliance.

Ohlinger is the author of a book attacking the German-American Alliance, published in 1916. He told the committee that he was born under American protection in China and that his father was of Swedish descent. His mother was of German ancestry. He said his ancestors came to this country more than 100 years ago.

The witness said that by act of Congress in 1907 the Alliance received a Federal charter; through its efforts local alliances have been organized in all large states of the country; in these local alliances local German societies of every kind have their meeting ground.

"In this way," he said, "the national German-American Alliance claims to reach 3,000,000 persons of German descent in the United States."

The incorporating act claims the purpose of the alliance to be 'educational and patriotic."

"In place of patriotic ends," said Ohlinger, "the alliance has devoted itself unremittingly to the following purposes.

"The consolidation of all those of German descent into one economical, political and social bloc. As instruments for this it has used the German press, German parochial schools, the German stage, societies of Germans and a continual propaganda for compulsory teaching of German in public schools.

"The arousing of racial antagonisms and opposition to all progress of assimilation.

"A vigorous propaganda for the benefit of the German Government.

"Opposition to the policies of the United States.

"The furtherance of the aims of disloyal organizations and individuals.

"Rabid hostility to prohibition or any interference with the liquor traffic.

"Reliance upon unknown sources for financial support."

"No Need for German Press."

Ohlinger declared that there was no need for a German language press in this country today; that there had been no immigrants from Germany in any considerable numbers for 20 years.

But since Prince Henry came to this country and paid so much attention to the German societies, the German press had increased, he said.

Senator Wolcott suggested that there are the Greek Press, the Italian press, and the Hebrew press in this country.

"Yes," was the answer, "but these papers have not the reason of 'Kultur' and world power behind them. This German press has been encouraging always the solidarity of the Germans in this country. The New York Zeitung claims that it has increased its circulation more in the last two years than has any other paper in the country."

Ohlinger claimed that the alliance had urged the study of Bernhardi's book, and spoke of the passage in the book in which the author refers to the German-American Alliance as a power in the defeat of the arbitration treaties between the United States and Great Britain and France in 1910.

He pointed out that on the outbreak of the war in Europe the alliance had within a day or two come out for Germany and urged its branches to establish press bureaus to attack the English language press.

Ohlinger was asked if the alliance had ever attacked him in the past. He said: "No, not until after I had published my book about it in 1916." He said he had been prompted to write his book by the need of emphasizing the vital necessity of the establishment in this country of a national spirit both for military and political reasons.

In answer to questions from Senator King and Senator Wolcott, he declared that there were 20,000 German societies connected with the alliance.

Senator King asked the witness if the official bulletin had said anything editorially or otherwise justifying the American cause in entering the war against Germany. The answer was that nothing approving America's entry into the conflict or approving the course it led up to appeared. The only thing like a friendly expression he found was a declaration that "as long as this country is in the war we Germans must submit to the verdict of the Government."

At former Congressman Bartholdt's home, 4665 Flora boulevard, it was said last night that he had gone to Washington.

DRINK HOT WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST

Says you really feel clean, sweet and fresh inside, and are seldom ill.

If you are accustomed to wake up with a coated tongue, foul breath or a dull, dizzy headache; or, if your meals sour and turn into gas and acids, you have a real surprise awaiting you.

Tomorrow morning, immediately upon arising, drink a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is intended to first neutralize and then wash out of your stomach, liver, kidneys and intestines all the indigestible waste, poisons, sour bile and toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal.

Those subject to sick headaches, backache, bilious attacks, constipation or any form of stomach trouble, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store and begin enjoying this morning inside-bath. It is said that men and women who try this become enthusiastic and keep it up daily. It is a splendid health measure for it is more important to keep clean and pure on the inside than on the outside, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing disease, while the bowel pores do.

The principle of bathing inside is not new, as millions of people practice it. Just as hot water and soap cleanse, purify and freshen the skin, so hot water and a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Limestone phosphate is an inexpensive white powder and almost tasteless.—ADV.

KENTUCKIAN WHO WORKED HERE KILLS WOMAN AND SELF IN OHIO

Tragedy Occurs After Mother of Three Refused to Come Here After Deserting Husband.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 23.—William Beck, 32 years old, of Covington, Ky., a second-hand furniture man, who recently was employed in a store at 1928 Franklin avenue, St. Louis, shot and killed Mrs. Anna Riley, 30, of Covington, and himself in the Grand Hotel here today.

Mrs. Riley's infant, 7 months old, was crying in the room when the two bodies were found. Insurance policies indicated that she had two other children. She is said to have left her husband in order to meet Beck here, but to have refused to go to St. Louis with him, and this refusal caused the killing, according to a note which Beck left to his family. He was a widower.

ST. LOUIS WOMAN AIDS ARREST OF ST. LOUISAN AS ALLEGED SPY

Blueprints and Other Drawings Found on Charles Beck, Held by Police at Leavenworth.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—Charles Beck, 32 years old, whose home is said to have been in St. Louis, was arrested by R. T. Glynn, Chief of Police of Leavenworth, this afternoon, in the course of an interview arranged with him by Mrs. Lou R. Essex of St. Louis, who came here to take part in the conduct of community houses. Beck is charged with having in his possession papers which, the police say, may prove he is a German spy. He is being held for investigation.

Beck, who has been working at the Great Western machine shops here, is said by the police to have made application to the Federal Government to be appointed an inspector of munitions and to have represented himself as being a secret service man operating under Government orders. The police say he wore a secret service badge and that John Gilhen, an intelligence officer from Kansas City, this afternoon, disproved his claims.

Blueprints of a torpedo marked "operation 9.2 in. mark 1 N. Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co., New Glasgo, N. S.," blueprint plans of cantonments and other drawings were found on his person, according to the police.

ALLEGED "TORCH" IS ARRESTED

Says He Failed to Appear for Trial Because He Enlisted.

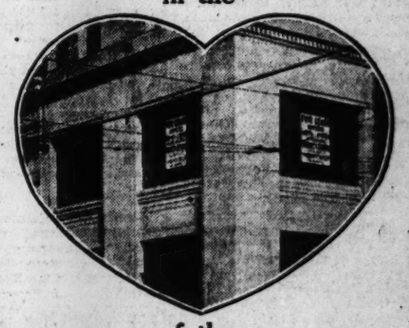
Morris Greenberg, 24 years old, of 1404 North Grand avenue, indicted as one of the alleged "torches" in the Christen Bellows factory arson conspiracy case, and who failed to appear for trial week before last, is held by the police for his bondsmen, who had obtained his release on a $200 bond. He was wearing a sailor's uniform when arrested Friday night. He explained his failure to appear by saying he enlisted in the navy Dec. 17, last, and had been unable to get a furlough in time to return for the trial.

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Medical Society Speaker Discloses Unusual Activity in Washington Avenue Shops.

WORKERS ARE WELL PAID

Girls Who Got $7 a Week Before War Now Earn From $25 to $30.

Members of the St. Louis Medical Society, at their meeting last night at 3525 Pine street, were surprised when Capt. T. W. Van Schoiack, purchasing agent here for the Quartermaster Department, stated that approximately 1,500,000 army uniforms had been made since last June by women's wear manufacturers on Washington avenue.

Capt. Van Schoiack made this disclosure in his address, which was one of eight on St. Louis' activities in the war. Seven of the speakers were officers in as many branches of Government service.

Another interesting disclosure made by Capt. Van Schoiack is that in many factories girls who before the war received $7 a week are now getting $25, and some as much as $30 a week.

In dicussing interesting phases of the activities of the Quartermaster Department through the St. Louis Arsenal, Capt. Van Schoiack, who spoke in the absence of Col. W. T. Cairk, Depot Quartermaster at the Arsenal said:

"The Quartermaster's Department has to do with the feeding, clothing, transporting and paying of the army, and the St. Louis Depot performs these functions for Camp Funston, Kan.; Camp Pike, Ark.; Camp Doniphan and Fort Sill, Ok. And if there is anything that no one else wants to do, the Quartermaster Department usually does it.

St. Louis' Largest Institution.

"The St. Louis Depot has 23 officers, 129 inspectors and 550 clerks on its staff and because of the immense purchases made, has become the largest single industrial institution in St. Louis.

"Without quoting you the figures I can say that millions are being spent each week by this St. Louis depot. Since last June, 1,500,000 army uniforms have been made by Washington avenue concerns. Many factories here now are devoting all their time to war work. For example, there is a cabinet manufacturer who now is using his plant for making tent poles, and it is not unusual for him to handle an order for 1,000,000 feet of tent poles.

"The working men and women of the city have benefited by this transtransformation. In many of the factories, where the girls formerly received $7 a week, they now get $25, and as high as $30 a week, and this reflects prosperity in all professions and trades.

The Post-Dispatch on Feb. 7, published the fact that $10,500,000 of war materials were being purchased monthly in St. Louis. This announcement was made by a Government official, who for obvious reasons could not permit use of his name, and followed an official survey to determine the effect of the street car strike on war work.

Amounts of Money Expended

Congress has appropriated $8,853,727,610.72 for expenditures by the five purchasing departments of the Quartermaster Department, Capt. Van Schoiack said, and as an indication of the enormity of this amount he pointed out that it is 40 times the cost of the Spanish-American war, and two and a half times the cost of the Civil War. In addition to this, he said, $500,000,000 iss being spent each month, making a total of $14,000,000,000 which will have been expended by the War Departmen for manufactured articles.

The value of cloth purchased by the Quartermaster Department, the Captain said, was equal to the cost of six buildings like the Railway Exchange building, or six state capitols buildings similar to the one recently completed at Jefferson City. Measured, the cloth amounted to 250,821,089 yards long, or 142,512 miles, and it would be possible by sewing the cloth together to wrap a bandage around the earth five times.

The St. Louis Depot has 60 inspectors in as many plants in St. Louis supervising the filling of war orders, said the Captain. He added that 6,750,000 pounds of food is used each day by the United States Army. This figure includes 275,000 cans of condensed milk, 225,000 jars of jam and 130,000 cans of tomatoes.

Preparing Medical History.

Maj. H. W. Loeb, dean of the St. Louis University Medical School and member of the Medical Reserves Corps, detailed at the Surgeon-General's office in Washington for three months, spoke on the "Literary Activities of the Surgeon-General's Office." He said that the medical history of the present war is being written from day to day by a staff of men especially assigned to the work in Washington.

This, he pointed out is in direct contrast to the medical histories of wars in the past, which have taken years to write. The history of the revolutionary war took 28 years to write, Maj. Loeb related, and the history of the Franco-Prussian war took 22 years to complete.

The medical history of two cantonments which have ben abandoned by the Government has been written and is ready for compilation when the Government calls for the information. The Surgeon-General's office sends out each month to the men in the trenches a series of pamphlets on medical progress in the war. A number of interesting books also have been written on war subjects, one of them entitled "What We Can Learn From the Enemy."

Maj. Loeb is writing a book on ear, nose and throat treatment in its relation to the war. He is one of a number of men who have been commissioned by the Surgeon-General to prepare medical treatises on various subjects.

Lieutenant-Commander E. A. Brooks, in charge of the naval recruiting here, told of the recruiting campaign conducted in St. Louis and throughout the State, and said that 67 per cent of the St. Louis men who have enlisted int he navy in St. Louis since the war began have been commissioned and non-commissioned officers. Before the war the percentage of young St. Louisans who later received promotion was 22 per cent. He attributed this increase to the "very high order of men who have been enlisted in the navy since the war began."

Maj. George W. Goode, in charge of army recruiting here, described the work of getting men for the regular army, and said that between 20 and 30 men are being enlisted here each day.

Capt. C. H. Hammond, detained here as recruiting officer for the aviation corps, spoke on "recruiting Aviators;" Lieutenant-Colonel H. D. McBride told of the Home Guard and Dr. John Young Brown outlined the activities of the General Medical Board of the Council of National Defense, of which he is a member.

Humor From the Trenches

Drawn by Capt. Bruce Bairnsfather of the British Army in France.



ANGLO-SAXON.

You're comin' along with me, my lad, as soon as this is over.
(Herman feels that he does know of a better 'ole.)

MAJ. MITCHEL AT FLYING CAMP

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 23—(By A. P.)—Former Mayor John Purroy Mitchel of New York, now a Major in the aviation sectiton, signal officers' reserve corps, arrived here today with Mrs. Mitchel. Maj. Mitchel came on orders of the war department to report for flight to qualify as a reserve military aviator. It is his first visit to Southern California.

If Maj. Mitchel gets his R. M. A. license he will be the first of his age, it is said, to be so breveted. He will be 39 years old in July.

Stabbed by Two Men on Street.

Leo Cordell, 25 years old, of 1452 North Nineteenth street, was stabbed in the right side of the neck at Nineteenth street and Cass avenue at 10:30 o'clock last night by two men. He said he did not know them. He was taken to the city hospital in a serious condition.

Art Exhibit at Library.

An exhibition of water color paintings by Prof. Holmes Smith of Washington University Art School is being held in the art room of the Central Public Library. The exhibition will remain open until Friday.

PERSHING REPORTS THREE MEN KILLED, 13 WOUNDED IN ACTION

All But One of Latter Are From New England States—Three Lieutenants in List.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—Three men have been killed in action, five severely wounded and eight slightly wounded, Gen. Pershing reported to the War Department tonight. The dead are:

Privates Thomas V. Ratcliff, Clarksville, Tenn.; William H. Scott, Calvert City, Ky., and Ralph T. Kingery, Ontario, Cal.

The severely wounded are:

Corporals Edwin T. Fitus, Manchester, Conn., and Thaddeus Blazejowski, Meriden, Conn., and Privates Thomas Morrison, South Manchester, Conn.; Walter P. Moran, Norwich, Conn., and Gustave H. Hermanson, Ansonia, Conn.

The slightly wounded were First Lieuts. Guy I. Sweet, South Paris, Me., and Thomas M. Holmes, Albany, N. Y.; Second Lieutenants Edwin C. Call, Dexter, Me.; Privates Romes Nadeau, Somersworth, N. H.; Clyde F. Andrews, Orono, Me.; Peter Rubeck, Egeland, N. D.; Walter Brodowski, Lennox, Mass., and William H. Hale, Somerville, Mass.

Private Fred Kopanske of 2150 West Thirteenth street, Chicago, died as the result of wounds received in action, it also was announced, and Private Sidney M. Cowley of 306 West Fourth street, New York, succumbed on Feb. 8 to accidental gunshot wounds.

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MA NIS FOUND DEAD IN BASEMENT OF SALOON

Name "Will J. Howard" on Cards in Pocket—No Marks of Violence on Body.

When Williamm Hutchison, proprietor of a saloon at 1417 South Vandeventer avenue, went into the basement at 11:30 o'clock last night he found a man apparently about 25 years old lying dead at the bottom of the stairs. He was a stranger and Huthison had no recollection of having seen hinm in the saloon.

When the police searched his pockets they founud a memorandum book and cards bearing the name of Will J. Howard, chief clerk City Court Division, Title Guarantee Trust Co. On a card of the Murphy Real Estate Co., 1023 Chestnut street, the same was stamped. There was also more than $8 in money.

The body, on which were no marks of violence, was taken to the morgue. The name of Will J. Howard is not in the city directory.

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A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin is worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest antacid for the stomach in the world.—ADV.

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NEARLY 4000 ELIGIBLE

International Leader Says Victory Against United Railways Spread Organization Sentiment.

In pursuance of the plan of labor leaders to organize new branches of St. Louis industry and commerce, about 700 employes of the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. were enrolled last night, in a meeting at Central Trades Hall, 2228 Olive stret, as members of the Tobacco Workers' International Union. The girls present, about 60 in number, were among the first to pay the $1 initiation fee.

The number of tobacco workers in the city eligible to membership in the new local is about 4000, most of whom work for Liggett & Myers. The organization will have a separate charter from the present union of tobacco workers in this city, which has been in existence about 25 years and has a membership of about 300.

Anthony McAndrew of Cincinnati, president of the international organization, arrived here Friday, at the request of David Kreyling, secretary of the Central Trades and Labor Union. He addressed the meeting.

Inspired by Carmen's Victory.

When asked by a Post-Dispatch reporter how the new local tobacco union came into being, President McAndrew said:

"Street-car men are usually the last class of workers to organize, and when they come into the fold we sit up and take notice, for we consider a city a good trades union community which has a carmen's union. The new street-car men's union in St. Louis has created a tremendous sentiment for organization among all classes of workers, for nothing impresses the cause of labor upon the workingman's mind as a street-car strike which makes him walk to work; and while walking the worker will think."

Several tobacco workers said that the twist makers started the agitation for a union when they were recently taken off piece work and placed on a 10-hour day basis, at a regular rate of pay based on their best work as piece workers.

One man stated that the company, which formerly paid 30¼ cents for 100 small twists, which sold for 5 cents each, refuses to pay more than 50 cents to the worker for making 100 large twists, which sell for 10 cents each. He said it requires twice the time to make 100 large twists as it does to make the same number of the smaller size.

The new local will meet Wednesday night in New Club Hall, Thirteenth street and Chouteau avenue, to elect officers and appoint a committee to prepare a wage scale and schedule of working conditions for presentation to the company.

Largest Unit Ever Taken In.

The headquarters of the Tobacco Workers' International Union is at Louisville, Ky. President McAndrew stated that the organization had only 3700 members in the United States until last night, and that the Liggett & Myers employes constituted the largest unit ever taken in. He said the organization would begin at once to unionize the American Tobacco Co., Richmond, Va., which has 20,000 workers; the R. J. Reynolds Co., with 4000 employes, at Winston Salem, N. C., and the Bull Durham Co., with 3000 employes, at Durham, N. C. He said the Lorillard Co., at Middletown, O., with 400 employes, was unionized last November.

Another national labor organizer is in St. Louis this week to demand increased wages for shoe workers. He is P. E. Turner of the United Shoe Workers of America, a union working independent of the American Federation of Labor.

Joseph Woracek, president of the Central Trades and Labor Union and business agent of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union, which is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, stated that members of the shoe union he represents have received since Jan. 1 substantial and satisfactory increases in wages through contracts proffered by the union and signed by the employers.

CAPTAIN OF AMERICAN BORDER PATROL SHOT BY MEXICANS

Unless Sniping Ceases, it Is Said Force Will Be Sent Over Line to Exterminate Them.

EL PASO, Te., Feb. 23 (By A. P.)—Unless sniping by Mexican Federal troops at American border patrol ceases at once, retalitory measures will be carried out and United States troops will be ordered to cross the line and exterminate the snipers, it became known here tonight following the shooting of Capt. J. N. Marx of the Border Patrol, this afternoon.

Capt. Marx was riding along the border in the eastern suburbs of the city when he inadvertently crossed the boundry line, which was not clearly definite at that point. Mexican snipers opened fire on the patrol at once. Capt. Marx was shot in the right leg and his mount wounded so badly it had to be killed.

An enlisted man was seen to fall when the snipers fired but investigation proved he was only thrown from his horse. The American patrol returned the fire but it was not known whether anyone was hit.

BLACKWELDER OUT FOR HIS CRITICISM OF DR. BOSTWICK

Offered to Quit When He Complained; Fired by Chief Before Library Board Acted.

In connection with the "resignation" of Paul A. Blackwelder of 1275 Hamilton avenue as Assistant Public Librarian of St. Louis, the Post-Dispatch learned yesterday that Blackwelder was "fired" by the Librarian, Dr. Arthur E. Bostwick of 76 Vandeventer place, before the board of directors had an opportunity to pass upon Blackwelder's proffered resignation.

Dr. Bostwick, upon his return a few days ago from a three weeks' trip to California, learned that in his absence his assistant had filed written complaint with two members of the board of directors, in which, among other things, it was charged that the Public Library was not being conducted efficiently. Forthwith Dr. Bostwick sent a letter to Blackwelder at his home, by special messenger, notifying him that he had been fired.

Told Not to Report Again.

In the letter Dr. Bostwick cited a section of the library by-laws which authorizes him to order such a discharge. He informed Blackwelder that it would "not be necessary" to report again at the library, and requested him to send in his keys.

Blackwelder, however, put in his appearance later at the Central Library, Fourteenth and Olive streets. He met Dr. Bostwick in the hall, and the librarian immediately announced that he was "not in any mood" to talk about the matter.

Blackwelder, in the latter part of last year, was at Camp Pike, Ark., installing a library. Following his return Dr. Bostwick left for California about the middle of January. It was while Dr. Bostwick was away that Blackwelder spoke to two members of the board about features of the management of the library which he considered open to criticism. These members suggested that he submit to the board a written statement covering the points about which he complained. He wrote a lengthy criticism and in conclusion stated that he presumed the board, in view of his criticism of his superior, would accept his resignation. Upon Dr. Bostwick's return he learned of Blackwelder's action.

Resignation Accepted Feb. 15.

The fact did not become public until yesterday, when the board announced that Blackwelder had submitted his resignation on Feb. 15 and that it had been accepted at that time.

To a Post-Dispatch reporter Dr. Bostwick said he had no statement to make other than that "Blackwelder had tendered his resignation Feb. 15 and that the board had accepted it at once."

Blackwelder is in Kansas City and will not return to St. Louis until the middle of the week. Efforts to reach him by long-distance telephone at a hotel there were unsuccessful. He had been assistant librarian for nearly 12 years, having joined the staff as assistant to the late Frederick M. Crunden. Before that he was principal of the Washington public school. He is 39 years old, and he received a salary of $4000 a year as assistant librarian.

Woman Appointed Medical Officer For Public Libraries.

The maintenance of sanitary conditions in the public libraries will hereafter be under the supervision of Dr. Harriet Stevens of 5899 Nina place, whose appointment as medical officer for the library was announced yesterday by the board of directors. All applicants for library staff positions will be examined by Dr. Stevens before being assigned to work. Other new regulations, including the regular examination of all members of the library staff once each year, were announced.

COL. HUNTER, FORMERLY CAPTAIN AT BARRACKS, COMMANDANT

Called From Retirement to Take Charge of Post as Successor of Col. Murray.

Col. George K. Hunter, who was a captain at Jefferson Barracks for five years, from 1892 to 1897, is back as Commandant, having taken charge of the post yesterday as the successor of Col. C. H. Murray, who departed two weeks ago. He has been called from retirement after only two weeks and is in civilian dress pending the arrival of his trunks.

When Col. Hunter left the Barracks in 1897 he went with his regiment to Fort Ethan Allen in Vermont. At the outbreak of the war with Spain the Third Cavalry, in which he was a captain, was sent to Cuba. His family remained in St. Louis. In the charge at San Juan hill, Capt. Hunter was shot through the leg and was sent home. When he recovered he rejoined the regiment which was sent in 1900 to the Philippines. In 1901 Capt. Hunter was promoted to Major and assigned to the Sixth Cavalry, then stationed at Fort Meade, S. D. In 1906 he was promoted to Lieutenant-Colonel.

From 1914 to 1917 he was inspector-general of the Central Department, with headquarters in Chicago. At the first draft call he was made brigadier-general and sent to Camp Funston. From there he went to Camp Greene, S. C., resuming his rank as Colonel. On account of illinois he was retired Feb. 1.

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Continued Popularity of Shakespeare Plays Proved—House Twice Was Sold Out.

William Shakespeare remains not only a literary but a box office success. The perennial popularity of his plays was proved by Robert B. Mantell's engagement at the Jefferson Theater, which closed last night with a performance of "Richard III." The management stated the receipts for the nine performances amounted to $14,049.50. There was no rival attraction during the week.

The attendance was approximately 16,000. The house was twice sold out, for the "Macbeth" performance Friday night and the "Merchant of Venice" matinee yesterday afternoon. The other Shakespearean plays produced were "Hamlet," "Romeo and Juliet" and "King Lear." Two other authors were represented in the week's repertory, Lord Lytton with "Richelieu" and Delavigne with "Louis XI." The receipts were double those of Mantell's last engagement here, five years ago.

The Ziegfeld Follies, at the same theater last season, had receipts of about $31,000 in a week. The Follies had a top price of $2.50 a seat, while Mantell played at a top price of $1.50

YOUTH ORDERED TO HALT IS SHOT WHEN HE RUNS

Highwaymen Stop Four Others and One Suffers Broken Nose.

Marshall Bergman, 18 years old of 2618 North Tenth street, was walking north on Twenty-second between St. Louis avenue and University street, about 8 o'clock last night, when two men came up behind him and ordered him to halt. He ran into the street. One of them shot him in the hip. He ran a block and a half to a pool room at Twenty-fifth and Dodier streets. A doctor sent him to the City Hospital. When he arrived there the bullet was found on the stretcher.

Fred J. Hofman of 4223A Kennerly avenue, was stopped by two men at 7:30 p. m. in front of 2618 North Spring avenue. One pointed a revolver at him, while the other took his watch and 60 cents, but returned the watch.

Carroll Dailey of 2615 North Spring avenue came along and the robbers took his scarf pin, his watch, valued at $50.

Otto Reinert, 62 years old, of 2[illegible] Sullivan avenue, president of the Gold Spring Distilling Co., was walking west on Sullivan avenue, between Spring and Grand avenues, at 7:45 p. m. when two men jumped out of an automobile and ordered him to throw up his hands. He resisted and his nose was broken with a revolver blow. The robbers drove east. Later the automobile was found at Farnell and Sullivan avenues. It had been stolen from Raining Bros., [illegible] Cote Brilliante avenue.

Richard Coates, 20, of 6233 Cote Brilliante avenue, and Charles Freward, 18, 5139 Wells avenue, delivering groceries at 5116 Spaldin avenue, were robbed of $65 by a man who ordered them to drive away and rode a short distance on the running board. After telling them to continue west, or be shot, he jumped off and ran east.

OLD ENEMIES MEET, ONE SLAIN

Venice Fish Merchant Killed on Levee and Rival Is Held.

A business quarrel five years ago between Leopold Bernard, 37 years old, and Abraham Jornes, 40, fish merchants of Venice, Ill., believed to been the cause of the fatal shooting Friday of Bernard on the levee at Venice. Jornes, the father of seven children, was arrested on a charge of murder.

The men had several fights, and recently Bernard had Jornes put under peace bond. When they met at 4 p. m. both opened fire with revolvers. Bernard missed.



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AX COMMISSION SAYS IT REVEALED UNTAXED MILLIONS

tatement Is Considered as Governor's Challenge to Board of Equalization.

OACH DEFENDS METHODS

ays McAllister's Reference to "Paper and Pencil Valuation" Is Uncalled For.

y a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 23.—A atement issued tonight by the tate Tax Commission, setting forth he results of its work, is taken as he reply of the Gardner administration to the fight which Attorney-eneral McAllister and some others ave been making on the Governor's x-reform program. The statement meant to show why the Governor's ax measures should have the support of the State Board of Equalization and the Legislature.

The statement declares that the ght more than $300,000,000 worth ax Commission has brought to property which has escaped taxation in previous years. In more than 00 of the 114 counties of the State, is declared, the County Assessors ave made a sincere and successful ffort to establish a 100 per cent basis of property valuation, as required y State law.

As to several of the other counties nd the city of St. Louis, disappointment is expressed. The return of t. Louis, received from Assessor Vollbrinck Friday, was $694,161,750, nly 7 per cent higher than the return made a year before. The five ounties of which complaint is made re Jackson, which contains Kansas ity; Buchanan, which contains St. oseph; Jasper, which includes Joplin; Marion and Monroe, the last-amed being McAllister's home ounty. Monroe County increased s assessment only about 5 per ent over the previous year.

To Recommend Increases.

As has been announced, the Tax ommission will recommend to the tate Board of Equalization that the assessments of St. Louis and the five ounties be increased materially to ring them into line with the counies which have fulfilled the 100 per ent requirement.

The members of the Board of qualization are the Governor, Attorney-General, Secretary of State, tate Treasurer and Auditor.

Pettis County, where Secretary of tate Sullivan lives, increased its assessment from $13,597,280 to $44,-37,380, or more than 220 per cent. Warren and Lincoln counties, where uditor Hackmann and Treasurer Middlekamp live, have also brought heir assements up to the 100 per ent mark. It is pointed out that hese three members, if they voted gainst raising the assessments of t. Louis and the five counties in uestion, would be placed in the attiude of voting that St. Louis and the ve counties should be taxed less eavily than their own home counies.

Methods of Discovery.

Chairman Roach of the Tax Commission, in the statement, said the ommission had spent more than 90 er cent of its time in the effort to iscover property never before assessed. He explained some of the methods used in discovering this roperty.

"We enlisted the aid of every official agency in locating property hat was escaping taxation," he said. Assessors were instructed to search he mortgage records and to go hrough the chattel mortgage records which are filed with county reorders.

"They also were instructed to have very taxpayer not only make a list f what he owned, but also of what e owed. If he had borrowed money rom another man, the Assessor nade a note of the name and address of the lender. If he did not ive in the Assessor's county, the name, address and amount of the oan was forwarded to the Tax Commission and sent to the Assessor of he county in which the lender resides.

Grand Juries Assisted.

"All Circuit Judges were instructed to have grand juries investigate hidden wealth. Some of them, by starting investigations, forced large sums of money to be returned for assessment.

"Attorney-General McAllister's charge that some Assessors had made 'paper and pencil valuations' is uncalled for," Roach said.

"The estimate of ratios at which property was assessed in the various counties last year was obtained from other county officials. When totaled, the various items are increased to the full value standard, and added, they tally with the Assessor's new valuation, which also includes the new property uncovered."

For example, in Adair County, the list is certified by the County Clerk, whose political interests, the commission points out, certainly would not be served by underestimating the proportion. The report from Adair County shows that in the previous year notes and bonds were assessed at 50 per cent, banks 50 per cent, livestock 33 per cent, acreage at 20 per cent and town lots at 25 per cent.

Increases in Counties.

By bringing the amount under each item in that county to the 100 per cent standard and adding the aggregate, the Tax Commission finds that the Assessor has brought the whole county to a 100 per cent valuation, and has added $2,500,000 which is composed of property heretofore not assessed. The valuation of Adair County in 1915 was $8,045,-664. The new assessment is $25,-421,120, the increase being more than 200 per cent. Adair is only an average county.

The proportion of increase in some counties is much greater. Schuyler County is increased from $3,773,896 to $15,275,150, an increase of more than 300 per cent. Platte County is increased from $7,730,100 to $29,-525,750. St. Francois County is increased from $11,000,000 to $43,-000,000.

Hess & Culbertson Elect Officers.

The Hess & Culbertson Jewelry Company held their annual Stockholders meeting at the offices of the company, Seventh and St. Charles, on Wednesday, February 20th.

George J. Hess was re-elected president for the year 1918, and other elections were as follows: S. D. Culbertson, vice president; Leo J. Voigt, treasurer; S. Roy Culbertson, secretary; Burchard O. Hess, assistant secretary; Rolla W. Hess, director.

The report for 1917 showed one of the most successful business years in the firm's history.

Poem Considered by John Masefield to Be the Best Yet Inspired by War

THE poem, "Into Battle," which John Masefield considers the best inspired by the war, written by Capt. Julian Grenfall, who was killed in action in the first year of the conflict, follows:

The naked earth is warm with spring,
And with green grass and bursting trees,
Leans to the sun's gaze glorying,
And quivers in the sunny breeze;
And life is color and warmth and light,
And a striving evermore for these;
And he is dead who will not fight;
And who dies fighting has increase.

The fighting man shall from the sun
Take warmth, and life from the glowing earth;
Speed with the light-foot winds to run,
And with the trees to newer birth;
And find, when fighting shall be done,
Great rest, and fullness after dearth.

All the bright company of heaven
Hold him in their high comradeship,
The Dog-star and the Sisters Seven,
Orion's belt and sworded hip.

The woodland trees that stand together,
They stand to him each one a friend,
They gently speak in windy weather;
They guide to valley and ridges' end.

The kestrel hovering by day,
And the little owls that call by night,
Bid him be swift and keen as they,
As keen of ear, as swift of sight.

The blackbird sings to him, "Brother, brother,
If this be the last song you shall sing,
Sing well, for you may not sing another;
Brother, sing."

In dreary, doubtful waiting hours,
Before the brazen frenzy starts,
The horses show him nobler powers;
O patient eyes, courageous hearts!

And when the burning moment breaks,
And all things else are out of mind,
And only joy of battle takes
Him by the throat, and makes him blind—

Through joy and blindness he shall know,
Not caring much to know, that still,
Nor lead nor steel shall reach him, so
That it be not the Destined Will.

The thundering line of battle stands,
And in the air death moans and sings;
But day shall clasp him with strong hands,
And night shall fold him with soft wings.

SECOND RED CROSS SURGICAL DRESSINGS SHOP ON SOUTH SIDE

It Will Be Opened Tomorrow at Grand and Park Avenues by Misses Grace and Ella Taussig

The St. Louis Chapter, American Red Cross, has opened a second surgical dressings shop in the South Side on the fourth floor of the Nicholas building, Grand and Park avenues. The shop will be in charge of Miss Grace Taussig, Chairman, and Miss Ella Taussig, Vice-chairman. It will open tomorrow at 9:30 a. m., and will run six days a week from 9:30 a. m. to 12 noon and 1:30 to 4 p. m.

The first surgical dressings shop opened on the South Side is at the Missouri Botanical Garden, in charge of Mrs. George T. Moore. This has been well attended every day since it opened several weeks ago. The new shop is the eighth opened by the St. Louis Chapter, the others and the persons in charge being:

Washington University Medical School, room 2816 North School building, Euclid and Scott avenues, Mrs. Joseph W. Bray.

Washington University, Cupples building No. 2, Skinker road and Lindell boulevard, Mrs. John L. Lowes.

Y. W. C. A., 1411 Locust street, open evenings, Miss Kate Kendig.

East St. Louis, 454 N. Ninth street, Mrs. Ross Bowles.

Kirkwood, Mo., corner Madison aveneu and Kirkwood road, Mrs. A. S. Kendall.

Ferguson, Mo., Church street, above Walker's drug store, Mrs. Harry C. January.

Gen. Pershing has urged the women of America to turn out more surgical dressings and the Red Cross is making every effort to keep supplies going to France. For this reason, Miss Taussig urges every woman on the South Side to register for service, even if it is only for a few hours a week.

COUNTY FOOD DIRECTOR NAMED

George R. Robinson Will Open Headquarters in Kirkwood.

George R. Robinson of Kirkwood, State Director of the American Red Cross for Missouri, has been appointed Food Administrator for St. Louis County. He will open headquarters for the St. Louis County Food Administration at Main street and Woodlawn avenue.

The new administrator is planning to seek the co-operation of boys and youths in conservation work in the county. Practical suggestions on how to produce food through backyard gardens and poultry raising will be distributed in booklet form.

"U-BOAT KILLER" PLANT STARTED

Ford Company to Complete Five Acres of Buildings in May.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—Announcement was made today by the Ford Motor Co. that work was started yesterday at River Rough, a suburb, on a shipbuilding plant that is to turn out "submarine-killers." The buildings, which are to cover five acres, will probably be completed in May. It is understood the plant will employ between 10,000 and 15,000 men.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—Secretary Daniels recently authorized announcement that the Ford motor plant was about to engage in mass production of an anti-submarine boat, generally described as combining the features of a submarine chaser and a destroyer, but not so large as a destroyer. Details are withheld for military reasons.

Address by Cantonment Builder.

Maj. John R. Fordyce, who was constructing quartermaster in charge of building Camp Pike, near Little Rock, and who now is supervising construction of a large warehouse at the Arsenal here, will describe the building of the cantonment at a luncheon at the Hotel Statler Tuesday before the Advertising Club.

Adjutant-General Harvey C. Clark, former commander of the National Guard of Missouri, also will speak.

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MASEFIELD NAMES WHAT HE THINKS IS BEST WAR POEM

"Into Battle," by Capt. Julian Grenfall, Now Dead, Selected by English Writer.

CRITICISES MORBID POETS

Believes Majority of Somber Writers Know Nothing of Actual Combat.

When John Masefield, the widely known English poet and war historian, who came here Friday on a lecture tour, was asked by a Post-Dispatch reporter what he considered the best poem inspired by the war, he unhesitatingly named "Into Battle," written by Capt. Julian Grenfell of the Royal Dragoons, son of a noble English family, who was killed in the first year of the conflict. Capt. Grenfell had won the Distinguished Service Order.

As in all poetry that comes of actual contact with battle, Masefield remarked, the sentiment was vigorous and not morbid.

He does not believe that the great poetry on the war will be written until time has permitted reflection and afforded the needed perspective. Now it is too big and too near.

Best Poems Yet to Come.

The time for good poetry, he declared, is not while war is going on. For one thing, poets are the kind of men who are too busy helping win the war to have time to write great poetry about it.

The poets who write about the horrors of war, he said, are those who had not seen it and knew nothing about it by contact with it. The result is that they do not give a true description of it.

Next to the work of Capt. Grenfell, in Masefield's opinion, is that of Francis Ledwidge, a young Irish private who was killed on the west front a year ago. Others next in merit, he thinks, are Robert Graves, Sigfried Sassoon and Robert Nichols, all British officers. Sassoon recently won the military cross for gallantry. His best poem, Masefield thinks, is "The Old Huntsman." Graves' best, he thinks, is "Fairies and Fusilliers."

"This war is horrible," Masefield said, "yet not horrible either. It is too big and too interesting to be really horrible. The great feeling about it is wonder that it could happen in this century. It doesn't belong, yet here it is."

Masefield War Poem.

Masefield, in 1914, was widely credited with having written the best poem of the war, a part of which follows:

Ye heard the news and went discouraged home,
And brooded by the fire with heavy mind,
With such dumb loving of the Berkshire loam
As breaks the dumb hearts of the English kind.

Then sadly rose and left the well-loved downs,
And so, by ship to sea, and knew no more
The fields at home, the byres, the market towns,
Nor the dear outline of the English shore.

Masefield will depart from St. Louis today. He is writing for the British Government the official history of the battle of the Somme, the important phases of which he witnessed, and has completed a 25,000-word preface to it.

TEACHERS' BUREAU ESTABLISHED

The Women's Committee, Council of National Defense, announces the establishment by the United States Employment Service of a Teachers' and Professional Service Division at 845 South Wabash avenue, Chicago. This division will act as a clearing house for teachers and members of other professions who are in search of positions, and for Boards of Education and organizations of like character, who desire to employ teachers or persons in other professions.

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HAS PLENTY FOR WEST

Congestion Continues in East, but Situation There Is Less Serious.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—Prompt adjustment of railroad transportation to the country's good needs, as Food Administrator Hoover may demonstrate them, was promised today by Director General McAdoo, who reiterated his statement of yesterday that practically all of the food offered for movement by farmers and food dealers is being transported.

Railroad administration officials pointed to the report that virtually no ships in New York harbor are held up by lack of food cargoes as proof that the movement of foodstuffs is satisfactory. Some ships are detained at South Atlantic and Gulf ports, they said, because grain merchants of the West are not loading cars as rapidly as has been expected.

Car Shortage Complaints Continue.

Reports to the Food Administration continue to tell of shortage of cars, however, particularly for transportation of grain products eastward from Western primary markets. The railroad administrator offered the explanation that if this condition exists it must be caused by failure of the shippers or the food administration to make specific requests for cars.

The danger of a serious food shortage in the East to which Hoover referred two days ago in his statement, which precipitated extensive public discussion of the relations between high prices of food in the East and railroad transportation, was emphasized less today by the Food Administrator.

Replying to a letter from McAdoo promising to provide for every food shipment to which his attention was called by the Food Administration, Hoover said: "I am certain that this assurance from you will greatly quiet the growing apprehension in the country of the last few weeks."

McAdoo replied to this letter by saying that Hoover had failed to point to specific cases of failure of railroads to move food shipments and repeated his request of yesterday. Both officials explained that their relations were entirely friendly and that their efforts to clarify the food and transportation situation did not represent a controversy either in fact or in spirit.

McAdoo's Promise to Hoover.

In one paragraph of his latest letter McAdoo wrote:

"If you will notify me from time to time of the location of the specific supplies and the port or ports in the United States to which you wish to have such supplies transported, I will guarantee the necessary transportation subject alone to interruption from blizzards and floods."

Congestion on Eastern lines was only slightly improved today over yesterday. Reports to the railroad administration declared there were 43,970 eastbound loaded cars more than normal on Eastern lines. Other classes above normal were: Eastbound empties 4115; westbound loads 31,102, and westbound empties, 17,-718.

PATRIOTIC TEA SATURDAY TO HONOR MISS HELEN FRASER

Author of "Women and War Work" on Speaking Tour of the United States.

The Women's Division of the War Savings Committee of St. Louis has issued cards for a patriotic tea in honor of Miss Helen Fraser of the British Treasury, and a member of the National War Savings Committee of England, for Saturday afternoon, March 2, at 3 o'clock at the Statler Hotel.

The guests invited to meet Miss Fraser are the ward and precinct chairmen of the St. Louis Unit, Women's Committee, Council of National Defense, and the ward directors who have been active in the war savings campaign in St. Louis under the direction of Mrs. N. A. McMillan, chairman of the Women's Division; Mrs. Frank P. Hays, vice chairman; Mrs. Scott Porter, secretary, and an Advisory Committee of 100 prominent women.

Miss Fraser is author of the book "Women and War Work," which H. N. MacCracken of Vassar College, has designated as being the most useful war book for women. Miss Fraser is now in the United States on a speaking tour educating the American woman to a sense of what the mobilization of the entire citizen army of a democracy must mean.

UNIVERSITY CARS DETOURED

Westbound Route Temporarily Will Be Over De Baliviere and Delmar.

A permit was issued to the United Railways yesterday to operate westbound cars of the University line over a new route west of De Baliviere avenue while repairs are being made on the viaduct crossing the Wabash tracks on Berlin avenue. Eastbound cars will continue to run over the viaduct.

Going west the cars will turn north on De Baliviers avenue to Delmar avenue, where they will traverse the route of the Delmar cars to Skinker road. At that point they will go south to the private right of way and to the western terminus of the line as now. The cars will be detoured beginning tomorrow morning.

FORCED SAVING OF FOOD IS DECLARED TO BE NECESSARY

Bill Giving President Power to Regulate Manufacture and Distribution Favorably Reported.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—Compulsory food conservation is necessary in the opinion of members of the House Agricultural Committee, which today submitted its report on the bill giving the President power to regulate public eating houses and the distribution and manufacture of foodstuffs. The bill does not directly affect householders.

The report recalls that the President has no power to enforce economy in consumption under the existing food law and that the success of conservation plans depends entirely upon the voluntary co-operation of the people. The appeals to save food have met with gratifying results, the report says, and adds, "but there is a small per cent of people who either willfully or for lack of understanding fail to respond to the call made for patriotic duty.

Situation Becomes Serious.

"The food situation as it affects us and our allies," the report continues, "is becoming so critically serious as to warrant the committee in the belief that the necessity is upon us of adopting compulsory methods of conservation in certain well-defined directions. It would be foolish for us to shut our eyes to the facts. It would be cowardly in us to fail to attack the problem of waste in foodstuffs in the most vigorous manner.

"The bill is designed to meet a situation which is closely allied to conservation. If we ship to Europe all of our exportable surplus of certain foods, there is never going to be more than just enough of such foods available for consumption in the United States. In order to prevent local shortage, it is necessary that this normal supply be distributed with absolute equality throughout the country, and such distribution is further essential in order to enable the best possible use of our surplus products. From time to time there may be temporary shortages in certain foods. In such a case the President should have power to control the distribution in such a way that the shortage is spread out as evenly as possible."

In discussing public eating house control, it is charged in the report that the consumption, particularly in "high-priced restaurants and hotels," per capita is nearly double of normal.

Regulations to Effect Savings.

"The bill authorizes regulations to eliminate unnecessary use of essential foodstuffs by manufacturers of food products," said the report. "It would be possible to effect a great saving in food products by requirements for higher milling or the mixture of ingredients in bread which cannot be so readily shipped abroad."

Although it does not authorize a rationing system for consumers, in the language of the report, "it would permit the President to limit the amount of any given product which may be shipped into a particular district or delivered to a particular distributor. The President can, in effect, ration the distributions so that a threatened shortage can be spread out as evenly as possible throughout the entire country."

PUBLIC SCHOOL THRIFT SALES FOR WEEK TOTAL $9719.07

Prof. Rathmann Says Purchases Are Now Being Made Through Self-Denial and Labor.

The public school thrift sales campaign for the week ending Feb. 21 amounted to $9719.07, with four schools to report. This was a short week, in that there was only four school days, Washington's birthday being a holiday in the public schools.

"The thrift average in the public schools," said Prof. Carl G. Rathmann, who has charge of the War Savings campaign in the public schools, "is maintaining its high standard. Notwithstanding that this was the week given over to the organizing of the Junior Red Cross in the public schools, the children continued to practice economy and thrift.

"In the first weeks of the campaign the children had various sources from which to draw that are now exhausted—their own coin savings banks and gifts from relatives and friends. The thrift stamp purchases are now being made through self-denial—the cutting out of movies, candy and chewing gum—and from the results of their own labor which is, after all, the most effective from an educational viewpoint."

Alton Fireman Fatally Crushed.

William Armhein, 21 years old, of Alton, fireman on a "dinky" at the Aluminum Ore Co. plant, East St. Louis, was killed yesterday when crushed between a truck frame and a crane in the yards of the company.

TERMINAL APPEALS CASE ON ACCOUNT OF 'PLAYFUL' REMARKS

Contends That Judge Dyer Prejudiced Jury in Recent $10,000 Damage Suit.

The Terminal Railway Association appealed yesterday from the verdict of a jury in the United States District Court Feb. 15, giving Carlton A. Munger of Alton damages of $10,-000 for injuries received in 1914.

The appeal is based on the ground that Judge Dyer made remarks in instructing the jury that were prejudicial to the defendant's case. The Judge told the jurors that he had prepared no written instruction and would do as an old preacher did down in Lincoln County, speak to them as the spirit moved him.

Attorney Pierce, for the Terminal, excepted to the remark and the Judge reiterated it, afterwards telling the jurymen it was "playful."

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POLICEMAN SHOOTS MAN WHO SHOT AT SLAYER OF FRIEND

Patrick Fleming Is Wounded After Attacking Lee Jackson, Who Killed Thomas Mullen.

Patrick Fleming, 22 years old, a machinist, of 6505 Chamberlin avenue, St. Louis County, was shot at 5 p. m. yesterday by Policeman John Womack of the Page District, on Bartmer avenue, a few feet inside the western city limits.

The shooting was the indirect result of a quarrel which resulted May 20, last, in the fatal shooting of Thomas Mullen by Lee Jackson of 3417 Franklin avenue.

Jackson told the police last night that Fleming, who was a friend of Mullen, had been "sore" at him since Mullen's death. He said he was standing at Bartmer and Ann avenues yesterday when Fleming called him across the street. When he got near, he said, Fleming drew a revolver. They scuffled for possession of it, a bullet being discharged through Jackson's overcoat but not wounding him.

Policeman Womack was attracted, and Fleming ran. The policeman fired two shots in the air, when Fleming, according to Jackson and Womack, turned and fired once at the policeman. Then the policeman fired at Fleming, the one shot striking him in the back. He was taken to the City Hospital in a serious condition.

The shooting of Mullen occurred in front of 6200 Bartmer avenue, near where yesterday's affair happened. Jackson was released by the Prosecuting Attorney.

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EPISCOPAL CHURCH MISSION CAMPAIGN OPENS TODAY

Out-of-Town Speakers Will Occupy Pulpits of 24 Churches in St. Louis.

The city-wide mission campaign of the Episcopal churches will begin this morning, when the Rev. Dr. R. W. Patton, secretary of the Episcopal Church Board of Missions for the Southern States, will occupy the pulpit at St. Peter's Church, Lindell boulevard and Spring avenue.

The campaign will consist of a week of conferences. Out-of-town speakers will occupy the pulpits of the 24 Episcopal churches at the morning and evening services today. The purpose is to stimulate every department of parish life.

"There is a particular need for this at this time because of the challenge made to the church by the war," said Dr. Patton. "Similar mission campaigns have been carried on in Chicago, New York, Richmond, Va.; Atlanta, Ga.; throughout Mississippi, and many other Eastern and Southern cities. We are now planning to make a campaign in Kansas and Denver and other Western points."

A dinner will be given at Mooiah Temple Thursday evening. There will also be a combined Sunday-school meeting at 3:30 this afternoon at Christ Church Cathedral, Thirteenth and Locust streets.

WOMEN CALL LOAN MEETING

Plans to Be Made Here for Third Liberty Bond Drive.

Miss Florence Wade, director of the Woman's Liberty Loan Organization of the Eighth Federal Reserve District, has issued a call for the various State chairmen composing the district to meet at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow in the Liberty Loan Organization's headquarters in the Railway Exchange Building. The meeting will be followed by a luncheon at the Statler Hotel.

The meeting is to explain the campaign for the Third Liberty Loan drive, which will open April 1. It is proposed to have every state and county thoroughly organized before the opening of the drive.

There will be a meeting of the State Liberty Loan Organization at the Hotel Statler Wednesday, under direction of Mrs. Theodore Benoist, chairman of Missouri. Mrs. Benoist has called the district and county chairmen to outline the plans for the campaign and to give instructions for strengthening the district and county organizations.

Exemption Claim Disallowed.

The claim of John B. Fahrig, stenographer for the Alton City Court, for exemption from the army, has been disallowed. An exemption was granted to Louis E. Walter, Jr., on a dependency claim.

MAN WED FEB. 14 IS PUT BACK FROM CLASS 4 TO CLASS 1

Eugene L. Thompson Had Persuaded Ward Board to Give Him Deferred Classification.

Eugene L. Thompson of 5441 Von Versen avenue, who was married a week ago Thursday, 18 days after the Twenty-eighth Ward draft board had placed him in class 1 for limited service, and who then presuaded the ward board to put him in class 4 because of his dependent wife, was put back into class 1 yesterday by the District Appeal Board.

Thompson is now in the last 15 per cent of the last draft, which is scheduled to depart for camp a week from tomorrow.

In appealing the case to the District Board, Douglas W. Robert, Government Attorney for the Twenty-eighth Ward, said the ward board was putting all married men in class 4, regardless of the date of their marriage or their financial state. The law, he pointed out, states that all marriages since May 18 last shall be closely scrutinized. He asked that the district board act immediately, so that another man would not have to take Thompson's place in the contingent leaving next week.

In order to relieve President Wilson from passing on many claims that need never be appealed to him, the Provost Marshal General at Washington has issued an official interpretation upon the rules governing discretionary powers of the Governor of the State, the Adjutant General and the Government appeal attorneys.

The ruling says that the Governor, Adjutant or appeal agent may suggest to the district or local boards the reopening of cases, the consideration of new evidence or the reclassification of a registrant. A registrant or any other interested persons may file new evidence or additional affidavits in support of his claim at any time before the registrant is sent to camp. The telegram stated that the President will not, in any appeal to him, consider evidence that has not been considered by the local and district boards.

Wild Ducks Numerous Near Alton.

Several thousand wild ducks have been seen recently in the vicinity of Alton. Many of them alight on ice floes and float down the Mississippi River.

SALARY RAISING BY RAILROADS IS HALTED BY M'ADOO

Curtailment of Interstate Free Passes Also Planned by Director-General.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—Steps toward economy involving future curtailment of many intra-state free passes, restriction of new high-salaried positions and limitation of overhead expense in railway financing, were taken today by the Railroad Administration.

At the suggestion of Government railroad officials, the Interstate Commerce Commission ordered roads to report fully, by March 25, detailed information concerning their practices in issuing intra-state passes. Owing to the lack of uniformity of state laws and the variety of customs of railroads, there is no common policy for the whole country on administering pass privileges. Consequently, roads were asked to tell how many passes they issued last year, to what classes of persons and for what services. They were required to report the states in which it is legal to give passes in exchange for newspaper and magazine advertising.

Railroad Administration officials said this information would be digested and probably would result in issuance of orders limiting issuance of passes, supplementing the Director-General's recent order imposing Federal interstate restrictions relating to passes on intra-state traffic.

In addition, the Director-General wrote to presidents of roads asking them to report to the Interstate Commerce Commission items of expense involved in maintaining New York offices for administering their individual financial affairs. It was explained that this probably would be followed by action requiring railroads either to discontinue these offices, regarded as largely unnecessary under Government management and financing, or to pay the expenses out of the Government guarantee fund.

In a general order, Mr. McAdoo forbade railway companies from creating new offices or filling vacancies except when necessary, and advised consultation with the Director-General in cases of doubt. Monthly reports were required on increases of salaries to men receiving between $3000 and $10,000, and it was specified that vacancies in offices above the grade of general manager could be filled only with the Director-General's approval. These orders referred to officers whose salaries are charged to operating expenses, and including most of the highly paid men. This action was prompted by rumors that some roads were planning to create high salaried positions on the assumption that the salaries would be paid by the Government and that the railroads' compensation would not be diminished.

PEONY HYBRIDIZED AT SHAW'S GARDEN INTO GORGEOUS FLOWER

Double-Flowering Varieties Forced in Greenhouses Are Among Beauties on Display.

Hybridization of the peony until it stands a peer among flowers, gorgeous in new forms and colors, with masses of bloom surpassing in effect even the rose, fragrant, easily cultivated and comparatively free from disease and insect attacks, is one of the achievements at the Missouri Botanical Garden.

In the current number of the garden's bulletin there is an exhaustive sketch of the development of this ancient flower from the old-time red "piney" of which there were at one time about 2500 varieties. After years of painstaking effort by botanists, the varieties were simmered to 500 of clearly distinct type, most of them derived from the albiflora.

Both the herbaceous and tree peonies are forced in the greenhouses at the garden. The plants are lifted in September after completion of their growth, potted in rich soil and plunged into a cold frame, where they remain until about December. When first placed in the greenhouses a temperature of 40 to 45 degrees is maintained, being gradually raised to 55-60 degrees. Under this treatment, with frequnent applications of liquid manure, the tree peonies are forced in six weeks and the herbaceous kind in eight to 10 weeks, hence their flowering at this time. Double-flowering varieties are used for forcing, their flowers possessing longer keeping qualities.

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The Rev. M. E. Melvin, director of the campaign for a $500,000 endowment of Westminster College at Fulton, Mo., founded 70 years ago and conducted under the auspices of the two Presbyterian synods, will establish headquarters in St. Louis soon.

Callaway County, of which Fulton is county seat, has pledged $100,000 and has subscribed more than $50,000. Of the remaining $400,000, $150,000 has been raised, so that $250,000 is to be obtained from the State. The plan contemplates raising of the entire sum during the current year. Callaway County is to pay only 20 per cent of its subscription if the endowment movement fails.

"Quick sales are made in furniture books, desks, typewriters, etc. through Post-Dispatch Wants.

Zinc Man Left $7,000,000.

OTTAWA, Ill., Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—F. W. Matthiessen, La Salle zinc manufacturer, who died recently, left an estate of $7,000,000 it became known today when his will was filed. The Hygienic Institute of La Salle, which he founded, receives $200,000 and employes are given $100,000.

Republican Senator From New Jersey

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—David Baird, a Republican of Camden, was today appointed by Gov. Edge, United States Senator, to succeed the late Senator William Hughes of Paterson, a Democrat. He will serve until the successor of Hughes, to be elected in November, qualifies.

The Story of a Drunkard Told by the Sister Who Secretly Cured Him

And Publishes the Prescription Which Released Her Brother From the Clutches of the Demon Drink.



MISS FANNIE BROWN

New York.—For fifteen years my brother was a slave to alcohol. Every spare penny he got his hands on was spent over the bar. He earned a good salary, and for a while disguised his condition, but finally his employer began to notice and find fault. Then he fought against liquor, but his will power was too weak and he sank lower, until he lost his position. His friends turned him down, one after another, until he was left a wreck, and alone. Whisky was the cause of it all. He was kicked around from place to place, drunk practically all the time. He had reached the point where all he wanted or cared for was whisky; a point where he could not stop drinking on his own accord.

I was living abroad, and a friend of former days wrote me, telling of the pitiful condition of my brother. I consulted a famous chemist, who gave me a secret formula and told me if I could arrange to put it in his coffee, tea or food it would destroy the appetite for alcohol. I took the first steamer for New York, and when I found my brother he did not recognize me, and I hardly knew him. I immediately began to give the remedy without his knowledge. In a few days he seemed to be losing his appetite for drink. He tried different saloons in an effort to find one where whisky would taste sickly, but it was useless. Within a month he stopped drinking. All the desire had left him, the chains of alcohol slavery had been broken. His health began to improve, and soon he was a new man. He secured a splendid position, and the craving for liquor never returned. After eight years I told him how he had been cured and gave him the formula. I was afraid to tell him the secret before for fear he might return to drink.

I advise everyone who has a relative or friend addicted to the liquor habit in any form to use this prescription. It is harmless and marvelously effective. Just ask your druggist for prepared Tecum Powders; drop one powder twice a day in tea, coffee, milk or any food or drink. Each powder makes a dose. It is tasteless and odorless and cannot be detected by anyone.

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E. J. Wirfs, president of the National Refrigerators Co., has announced his acceptance of a $1-a-year job handling refrigeration and cold-storage problems for the Government at Washington. He is 44 years old and resides at 3011 Lafayette avenue. A son is in France with the marines.

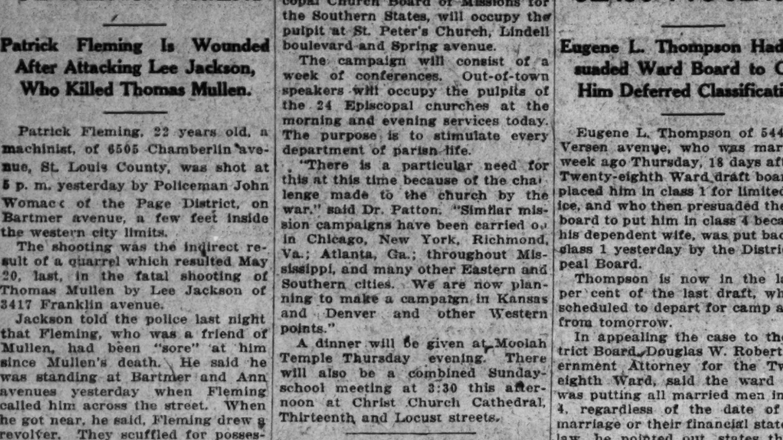
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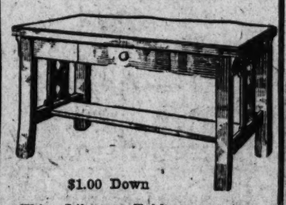
Kitchen Cabinet



$1.00 Cash

This is a Kitchen Cabinet that any housewife will be glad to own. It is large size—exactly as shown in the illustration—and possesses all the very newest conveniences. An actual $37.50 value. $24.75

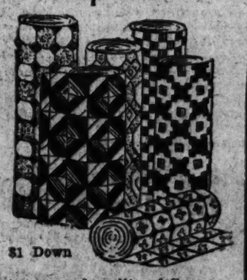
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This is a good quality of floor covering that is offered at a much lower price, and will wear even better than cheap linoleum. The usual selling price is 98c. On sale this week at only, per yard... 75c

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(Dressing Table Extra)



You can make no mistake in selecting this Bedroom Suite. It is attractive in appearance, thoroughly well constructed, and consists of full-size Bed, Dresser and Chiffonier in beautiful Circassian walnut finish. Under ordinary circumstances an outfit like this would sell for $98.00. This week it is offered on easy terms at the exceptionally low price of..... $79.80

Attractive Living-Room Set



Here's an outfit that is sure to meet with your approval. It is exactly as shown in the illustration (without lamp)—and consists of Arm Chair, Arm Rocker and Davenette that can be converted into a full-size bed for the unexpected guest. Comes in fumed oak finish. The Chairs and Davenette are upholstered in a good quality of imitation leather. An actual $60.00 value; specially priced at..... $49.75

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Chifforobe



$1.00 Cash

A Chifforobe that combines a wardrobe and chiffonier in one piece of furniture. It is large size, has cabinet, swinging mirror and 5 drawers. A $45 value. Priced in our Dollar Down Sale at... $27.50

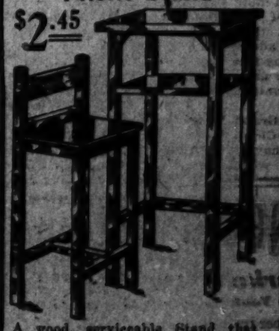
Go-Cart



$4.95 Dollar Down

Folds compactly, has all-steel frame and weatherproof black or green top and wire wheels with extra heavy rubber tires. A regular $8.50 value at... $4.95

Phone Stand



$2.45

A good, serviceable Stand that will give years of service—thoroughly well constructed—in fumed oak finish. An actual $4.50 value that we are offering at... $2.45

Vacuum Cleaner

That combines a carpet sweeper and vacuum cleaner—regular $6.00 value at... $4.95

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PRESIDENT FIXES 1918 WHEAT PRICE; $2.18 IN ST. LOUIS

Continues Present Figures With Some Adjustments Arising From New Markets.

APPEALS TO THE FARMERS

Declares Guarantee Will Assure Producer Reasonable Profit, Even if War Ends.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—President Wilson today raised the Government guaranteed price for the 1918 wheat crop to $2.28 a bushel in one primary market and in varying sums in all other primary markets except four. The Chicago price was put at $2.20.

Acting under authority of the food law, the President thus met the agitation in Congress for higher prices and took steps to stimulate production and prevent holding back the crop while the agitation was going on.

The prices fixed, the President declared, would assure the producer of a reasonable profit. On the basis of No. 1 northern spring wheat and its equivalents, the President fixed the prices as follows:

"Chicago, $2.20; Omaha, $2.15; Kansas City, $2.15; St. Louis, $2.18; New York, $2.28; Galveston, $2.20; New Orleans, $2.20; Fort Worth, Tex., $2.09; Oklahoma City, Ok., $2.05; Wichita, Kan., $2.08.

The equivalents of No. 1 northern to which the same price applies are No. 1 hard winter, No. 1 red winter, No. 1 durum and No. 1 hard white. The wheat must be harvested in the United States during 1918 and sold in the market before June 1, 1919. The President's proclamation states that the action is to meet an emergency requiring stimulation of wheat planting.

In a statement, the President said:

"Under the food-control act of Aug. 10, 1917, it is my duty to announce a guaranteed price for wheat of the 1918 harvest. I am, therefore, issuing a proclamation setting the price at the principal interior primary markets. It makes no essential alteration in the present guarantee. It is a continuation of the present prices of wheat, with some adjustments arising from the designation of additional terminal marketing points.

"This guaranteed price assures the farmer of a reasonable profit, even if the war should end within the year and the large stores of grain in those sections of the world that are now cut off from transportation should again come into competition with his products. To increase the price of wheat above the present figure, or to agitate any increase in price, would have the effect of very seriously hampering the large operations of the nation and of the allies by causing the wheat of last year's crop to be withheld from the market. It would, moreover, dislocate all the present wage levels tha have been established after much anxious discussion and would, therefore, create an industrial unrest which would be harmful to every industry in the country.

"I know the spirit of our farmers and have not the least doubt as to the loyalty with which they will accept the present decision. The fall wheat planting, which furnishes two-thirds of our wheat production, took place with no other assurance than this and the farmers' confidence was demonstrated by the fact that they planted an acreage larger than the record of any preceding year, larger by 2,000,000 acres than the second largest record year, and 7,000,000 acres more than the average for the five years before the outbreak of the European war.

"It seems not to be generally understood why wheat is picked out for price determination and only wheat, among the cereals. The answer is that, while normal distribution of all our farm products has been subject to great disturbances during the last three years, because of war conditions, only two commodities, namely wheat and sugar, have been so seriously affected as to require governmental intervention.

Necessary to Stop Speculation.

"The disturbances which affect these products (and others in less degree) arise from the fact that all of the overseas shipping in the world is now under Government control and that the Government is obliged to assign tonnage to each commodity that enters into commercial overseas traffic. It has, consequently, been necessary to establish single agencies for the purchase of food supplies which must go abroad. The purchase of wheat in the United States for foreign use is of so great volume in comparison with the available domestic supply that the price of wheat has been materially disturbed and it became necessary, in order to protect both the producer and the consumer to prevent speculation. It was necessary, therefore, for the Government to exercise a measure of direct supervision as far as possible to control purchases of wheat and the processes of its exportation. This supervision necessarily amounted to price fixing and I therefore thought it fair and wise that there should be a price stated that should be at once liberal and equitable.

"Those peculiar circumstances governing the handling and consumption of wheat put the farmer at the very center of war service. Next to the soldier himself, he is serving the country and the world, and serving it in a way which is absolutely fundamental to his own future safety and prosperity. He sees this and can be relied upon as the soldier can.

"The farmer is also contributing men to the army, and I am keenly alive to the sacrifices involved. Out of 13,800,000 men engaged in farm industries, 205,000 have been drafted, or about 1.48 per cent of the whole number. In addition to these, there have been volunteers, and the farmers have lost a considerable number of laborers because the wages paid in industrial pursuits drew them away. In order to relieve the farming industry as far as possible from further drains of labor, the new draft regulations have been drawn with a view to taking from the farms an even smaller proportion of men and it is my hope that the local exemption boards will make the new classifications with a view of lightening the load upon the farmers to the utmost extent. The Secretary of War has asked for authority to furlough soldiers of the National Army if conditions permit it so that they may return to their farms when assistance is necessary in the planting and harvesting of the crops. National and local agencies are actively at work, besides, in organizing community help for the more efficient distribution of available labor and the drawing upon new sources of labor. While there will be difficulties, and very serious ones, they will be difficulties which are among the stern necessities of war.

All Agencies Co-Operating.

"The Federal railway administration is co-operating in the most active intelligent and efficient way with the food administration to remove the difficulties of transportation and of the active movement of the crops. The marketing is to be facilitated and farmers given the opportunity to realize promptly upon their stocks. The Department of Agriculture and the food administration will continue to co-operate as heretofore to assist the farmers in every way possible. All questions of production, of the marketing of farm products, of conservation in the course of production and of agricultural labor and farm problems generally, will be handled by the Department of Agriculture; while all questions of distribution of food supplies to the allies and of conservation in consumption will be handled by the food administration, but the chief reliance is upon the farmer himself and I am sure that reliance will be justified by the results. The chief thing to be kept clearly in mind is that regulations of this sort are only a part of the great general plan of mobilization into which every element in the nation enters in this war as in no other. The business of war touches everybody. It is a stern business, a co-operative business, a business of energy and sacrifice, a business of service in the largest and best and most stirring side of that great work."

In enacting the food control law Congress put a guaranteed price of $2 on next season's crop and this has been construed as a minimum price. To draw wheat to market the President fixed a price of $2.20 on last season's yield and it had this effect 'until the price-raising bills were introduced. Then the flow began to decline.

The Lost Article Directory

A part of today's big REAL ESTATE and WANT DIRECTORIES Contains three times as many LOST ADS as the two other St. Louis Sunday newspapers combined.

POSTERS URGE USE OF CORN

5000 Notices Sent to Motion Picture Theaters By Department of Agriculture.

The United States Department of Agriculture is sending out 5000 emergency posters to motion picture theaters, with a request that they be displayed to induce the people to eat more corn.

It calls attention to the fact that there are 50 ways of cooking corn and shows pictures of some of the palatable ways in which it can be prepared. Everybody is urged to "eat some corn today" and write to the department for farmers' bulletin 565, "Corn Meal as a Food and Ways of Using It."

MAN TAKEN WITH ELEVEN $50 LIBERTY BONDS IN POSSESSION

Two men arrested at Fourteenth street and Franklin avenue on suspicion at 5 p. m. yesterday were held for the Federal authorities after one was found in possession of 11 $50 Liberty Bonds which he said he had found. He said he was John C. Williams, but had a registration card made out to John F. Wallace. His companion gave the name of Max Fiel, 35 years old. They gave the address of the Holland Hotel, 903 North Sixth street.

Detectives said Williams grabbed the bonds from his pocket when arrested and remarked later that he wished he had "ditched" them. Fiel, they said, suggested that the detectives "fine" them $50 and release them.

Five of the bonds were of the first Liberty Loan, and were numbered inclusively 148,407 to 148,411. Another bond of the first issue bore the number 1,654,266. The remaining five were of the second Liberty Loan, and were numbered, inclusively, 1,629,363 to 1,629,367. Williams is said to have admitted that he was discharged Dec. 15 last from Leavenworth prisoon, after serving three years for stealing interstate freight.



Gray, faded hair turned beautifully dark and lustrous almost over night, is a reality, if you'll take the trouble to mix sage tea and sulphur, but what's the use, you get a large bottle of the ready-to-use tonic, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at drug stores here. Millions of bottles of "Wyeth's" are sold annually, says a well-known druggist, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has happened.

You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Those whose hair is turning gray, becoming faded, dry, scraggly and thin have a surprise awaiting them, because after just one application the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

This is the age of youth, gray haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with the Sage and Sulphur tonight and you'll be amazed at your youthful appearance and the real beauty and healthy condition of your hair within a few days. Inquiry at drug stores here shows that they all sell lots of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur" and the folks using it are enthusiastic. This preparation is a delightful toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.—ADV.

MY TIRED FEET ACHED FOR "TIZ"

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Just take your shoes off and then put those weary, shoe, crinkled, aching, burning, corn-pestered, bunion-tortured feet of yours in a "Tiz" bath. Your toes will wriggle with joy; they'll look up at you and almost talk and then they'll take another dive in that "Tiz" bath.

When your feet feel like lumps of lead—all tired out—just try "Tiz." It's grand—it's glorious. Your feet will dance with joy; also you will find all pain gone from corns, callouses and bunions.

There's nothing like "Tiz." It's the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up your feet and cause foot torture.

Get a 25-cent box of "Tiz" at any drug or department store—don't wait. Ah! how glad your feet get; how comfortable your shoes feel. You can wear shoes a size smaller if you desire.—ADV.

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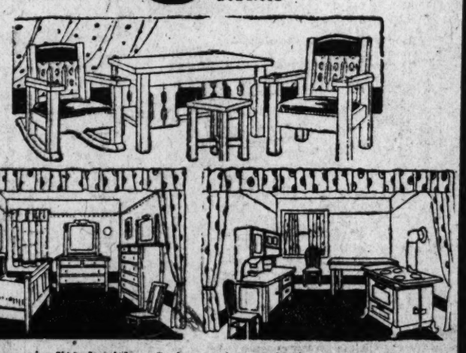
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To Thrift Club Members

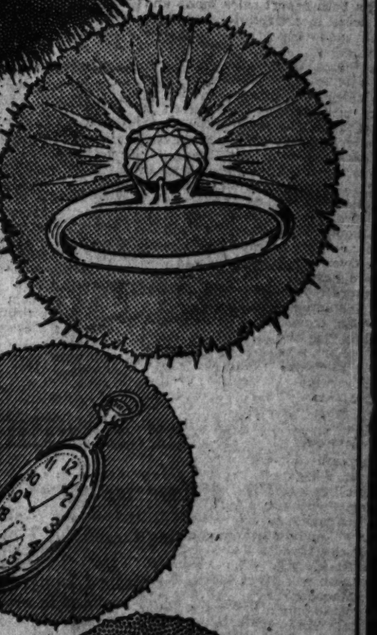
DIAMONDS

WONDERFUL Diamonds are these, set in handsome Rings, Earrings and Scarf Pins! You can be sure that these Diamonds will increase in value and you get possession simply by paying a few cents down. These $25 Diamonds—25c down and 50c a week to Thrift Club members.

50c Down and 75c a Week
To Thrift Club Members

DIAMONDS

CHOICE of $37.50 Earrings, Rings and Scarf Pins, in this collection. You simply pay 50c down and the balance 75c each week. Just think of it! And remember, YOUR MONEY REFUNDED IF YOU CAN BUY CHEAPER FOR CASH!



The possession of a beautiful, pure sparkling Diamond or a handsome Watch is the desire of everyone. This desire can be realized now at once, by anyone who will. And the plan I offer is the most approved plan for systematic saving. You have your diamond and your watch and you enjoy the actual possession while you save. Join now!



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AUTOMOBILE NEWS

MILLION AND HALF IN AUTOMOBILES SOLD AT AUTO SHOW

Big Motoring Event Which Closed Saturday Night Was Most Successful Ever Held in St. Louis.

When the electrician of the Automobile Show in the great Southern Hotel Building, now the Exhibit Building, pulled the lever at 11 o'clock last night that flashed the information to the visitors at the show that the eleventh annual Automobile Show was about to come to an end, there was an almost audible sigh of regret.

The show has been the best that has ever been held by the St. Louis Automobile Manufacturers and Dealers' Association. The setting has been the most beautiful. The attendance has been the largest and the results in outright sales of automobiles have exceeded those of any other year.

Coupled with the real success of the show was the sentimental interest attached to the building in which it was held. The Southern Hotel has been part and parcel of the history and the business and social life of the city of St. Louis for more than half a century. The opening of the building by the automobile men for their big exposition, the turning on of the lights, brought back to the South end of uptown Broadway a new life. It really meant the renaissance of Broadway. It meant the beginning of a new life in that district and the probable re-establishment of a large number of retail houses in that district.

The eleventh annual Automobile Show was pronounced by all of the dealers to be a much greater success than had been anticipated. There was not a single exhibitor but who sold cars. In the moderate priced lines the sales were heavy. One dealer closed a contract for 51 cars with a subdealer. Another closed a contract for 36 cars with a subdealer, and all made new agency contracts. Sales were made of the highest and lowest priced cars in the show. The Pierce-Arrow and the Locomobile exhibits both report sales made and there were many retail sales made of the moderate priced and low priced cars.

Heretofore there have been rebates paid to the exhibitors on their show space, sometimes running to a very satisfactory figure, but it is not probable that there will be any rebate on the 1918 show. The overhead expenses of the Exhibit Building was almost three times as great as for any previous building used by the association for its annual show. Coupled to this was the fact that the amount of space for sale was about one-half as much as it was in the Overland Building.

There have been a large number of visitors to the show from out of town, including 4000 dealers in automobiles from the territory surrounding St. Louis. These dealers came from nine states—Missouri, Illinois, Kentucky, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas. There was one lone visitor from Nebraska, one from Iowa and one who came all the way from Colorado.

The feature of the show was the visits of delegations from three of the smaller towns in the St. Louis territory, who consulted with the show management as to ways and means of holding automobile shows. One of these was a delegation from Little Rock, Ark. The Automobile Show there will begin March 6, and Show Manager Robert E. Lee supplied to the committee a full equipment of samples of all tickets, cranks and other necessary information.

A conservative estimate was made by members of the Show Committee Saturday night late that there had been sales made at wholesale and retail of about 850 automobiles by the various exhibitors. The value of these cars at retail would exceed $1,500,000.

KISSEL KAR PRICES ADVANCE $200 MARCH 1

At a Kissel dealers banquet Friday, Harry Newman announced that on March 1 the price of all Kissel passenger models would advance $200. He explained that this increase was absolutely necessary in order to maintain the same high standard of materials, due to the big advance in costs.

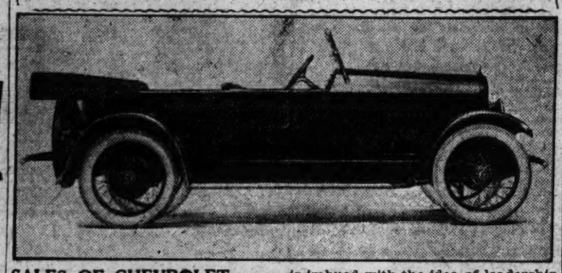
Judge George L. Curlis, dean of the Benton College of Law, addressed the dealers on the "Three requisits of an automobile salesman from a laymen's view-point. He later talked of business conditions in general as he found them on a recent trip to Washington.

SUN RAY WITHIN LAW

Figures recently compiled show the Prismolite company and affiliatee companies to be the largest manufacturers of automobile glass products in the country. One of the latest additions to its line is the new Sun-Ray lens introduced at the New York and Chicago automobile shows.

One of the chief advantages of this new lens is that, for the first time, all the better features of both the diffusive and refractive types of lenses have been successfully combined in one lens.

A SPORTSTER---Latest Westcott Model



SALES OF CHEVROLET AND WESTCOTTS MADE

Sales of 19 Chevrolet and five Westcott cars as a direct result of their display at the auto show in the Exhibit Building, which closed last night, were announced by William King, sales manager of the Brandle Motors Co. He also reported the sale of three Traffic motor trucks, distribution of which recently was placed with the Brandle company, the latter transactions having been accomplished within three days after the selling arrangement had been concluded.

"These may not be world's records in the way of car sales, but they are significant and gratifying figures to me," said King, "especially when they go with the fact that February has proven to be a big month all through the Brandle line, in both new and used cars. It all goes to show the intensity with which our organization is imbued with the idea of leadership o fthe lines we are handling. Naturally, we are decidedly sanguine as to the future.

"As an incident to the Brandle Company's service on Chevrolet, we will shortly put into operation a system designed to prevent the owner of that car ever requiring attention from a repair man. This will not be difficult to accomplish when it is recalled that, from returns from 102 owners of the Chevrolet in St. Louis, made in response to letters of inquiry, it was found that the average repair bill was only $8.85 per 400 miles of service.

"Turning to the Westcott, for which it has become a truism that 'once a Westcott owner always a Westcott owner,' we are able to state that in the past four years there has been but one of those cars sold by the Brandle Company, its regular distributor here, traded for another car."

WILL FURNISH LISTS OF MOTOR CAR OWNERS

Secretary of State of Missouri John L. Sullivan, through the St. Louis Automobile Deputy, Joseph Schilling, announces that complete lists of automobile licenses issued in Missouri may be secured from the office of the Secretary of State for $10. The list gives the postoffice address, make and style of car and the motor number.

To secure the list it will be necessary to send $10 to the Secretary of State prior to March 15. No more will be printed than are ordered by that time. It will then be added to throughout the year by supplementary lists.

NEW TIRE FOR TRUCKS.

A new cushion tire has just been announced by the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., which in many classes of service, renders the most economical service of any tire that has yet been developed.

This tire has been in preparation for more than two years, and has survived the most rigid experimental tests demanded of it. In appearance it resembles the regular solid rubber tire, but in construction is quite different. The tread is of practical wearing thickness equal to that of similar sized solid tires. In cross-section it somewhat resembles an inverted Y, with a fabric-reinforced double base, fitting in a clincher-flanged rim. A metal ring running through the center holds the double bases of the tire in a veritable vice, preventing them from buckling and eliminating all likelihood of the tire's twisting or slipping from the rim.

It is exceptionally resilient and soft enough that in contact with the road service, it spreads out over a much larger area than a solid rubber tire of the same size. In actual service some remarkable mileages have been secured, ranging from 25,000 to 45,000 miles on one and two ton trucks, to which the new cushion tire seems to be peculiarly adapted.

MAXWELL AGAIN GRABS A MOUNTAIN RECORD

Now and then some car steps out and breaks a Maxwell record. It has been done. But not long thereafter a low, rakish looking craft with the familiar Maxwell name on the hood may be seen dashing out to regain its laurels. And it always does.

All of which leads up to the announcement that the Mount Wilson (Cal.) mountain-climb record is once more within the Maxwell fold, placed there by the daring driving craft of Walter Lord of the Lord Motor Co., Los Angeles.

This Mount Wilson mark was originally set by the late Billy Carlson in his Maxwell. Carlson's time was 29m. 1s. The record stood for a couple of years and was broken, just recently, by a 12-cylinder car which negotiated the hard trail in 27m. 17 2-5s. This time, the mark stood for one week, when Walter Lord, in his sturdy four-cylinder Maxwell, went after it, with the almost inevitable result. When any Maxwell combination goes after anything, that thing, particularly if it is a motor record, generally plays dead.

And it did this time, for the Maxwell made the strenuous, dashing climb, in just 26m. 56 1-5s, clipping 21 1-5 seconds off the mark made by the 12-cyolinder car.

SKID CHAINS MUST SLIP.

There are new motorists being born every day. And they, as well as their more experienced brethren of the wheel, need counsel. Experts of the B. F. Goodrich Rubber Co. have found during the winter that a great many new owners have come to regard as the nadir of misfortune the loss or loosening of a tire chain, and, as a protective measure, they have been tying the chain to the spokes. The damage to a tire accruing from this practice is greater than the loss of the chain would be.

"If the crosspieces of the chain are kept in one place," one points out, "they will cut into the tread and tear off pieces of the rubber. The chains are constructed to slip round and not remain at one point."

THE "BABY" OVERLAND A REAL SENSATION

The Willys-Overland Inc. of Toledo, O., has produced a distinctive car, which during the St. Louis show has caused the crowds to congregate around the Overland exhibit.

"In this little car, we have a proof positive that the small, low-priced passenger car has finally come into its own," said T. L. Hausmann of the Overland Co. of St. Louis. "This could not have been possible till a company of immense resources, by volume output became able to apply to low cost production, methods formerly possible only to the high-priced car; such a company is the Willys-Overland.

"The average production of 150,000 machines a year; their immense plant covering 112 acres of floor space renders such a car possible. They have 18,000 highly trained men available at Toledo for work on this car. Machinery and equipment not only for immense production, but scrupulous accuracy, have been installed at a cost of millions. By purchasing supplies and material in large quantities this company is able to secure prices that would not be possible to a smaller organization. The company's entire history as planned by its founder, Mr. Willys, has been continuously marked by a successful effort to reduce the cost of the motor car without impairing its efficiency.

The car has what is known as a three-point cantilever spring suspension, a result of engineering genius whereby in extending this spring 15 inches forward of the front axle and 15 inches to the rear of the rear axle, you gain thereby 30 inches over the actual wheel base of the car, which is 100 inches. In other words, you have practically the riding qualities of a car with 130-inch wheel base with a turning radius of but 19 feet.

The car is equipped with uniform sized tires all around—30 by 3½ inches—plain in front—nonskid in the rear, clincher type. The frame is of pressed steel in two pices—securely joined at either end by clamps and bolts. The body is pressed steel with welded joints—fenders pressed steel, crown. The finish black enamel baked on.

The rear seat in the five-passenger body is 46 inches in width—the front seat 40 inches. The cushions, sides, seats and back are all removable—the upholstering duratex—the top also duratex with rubber cover.

This car is provided with a very good tire carrier in the rear—it has a one-man top—slanting windshield with all instruments in cowl, speedometer, ammeter, spark and throttle control. Gasoline tank also in cowl—capacity of 11 gallons, suspended from frame and entirely independent of body movement. Radiator just over forward exle squarely across the car with capacity of seven gallons, cellular in form and vertical in action, thermo-syhpon cooling system being used with radiating capacity of 327 inches.

The motor has 3¼-inch bore by 4-inch stroke—cast en bloc—removable head so as to be readily accessible for repairs — three-bearing crank shaft. The oiling system very complete and simple. The oil placed in the crank case is forced by the fly wheel action as a centrifugal pump up to a well and from there to the clutch, transmission and universal joint. The universal joint is a split ring.

So carefully have the engineers planned this oiling system that there are only 10 oil cups on the car, and no grease cups. The equipment is standard, Champion spark plugs, Tillison carburetor, Connecticut ignition, the Auto Light starting and lighting system, all nationally known. The transmission is selective type, mounted on annular ball bearings; three speeds forward and reverse, a transmission brake and a disc clutch running in oil—the clutch and brake pedals are adjustable. The hand brake operates in a nine-inch drum on the rear wheels, internally expanding—metal against metal.

The entire car equipped and filled with gas and water ready for the road weighs 1500 pounds. Motor speed in actual service 45 miles an hour, giving ample assurance of horse power of motor being adequate for car.

The price has not yet been established and the car will be ready for delivery in midsummer.

LIBERTY MOTOR MAN A FORMER ST. LOUISAN

Lieutenant-Colonel Jesse G. Vincent, formerly of St. Louis, has just received his promotion in the army from the rank of Major. He had been vice president of engineering for the Packard Motor Car Co. of Detroit, but went to Washington last summer to assist in designing the new Liberty motor.

Col. Vincent was born at Little Rock, Ark., in 1880, and came early to St. Louis, and graduated from the St. Louis public schools. He went through all of the grades of apprentices, machinists, and is an expert toolmaker. In 1902 he was connected with the Universal Adding Machine Co. of St. Louis. Soon after that he joined the forces of the Burroughs Adding Machine Co., and was transferred to Detroit. From there he went to the Hudson Motor Car Co., and in 1912 went to the Packard company. He and Maj. E. J. Hall designed the Liberty motor.

BOUGHT SHOW CARS FOR ANOTHER SHOW

W. S. Roberts, manager of the St. Louis branch of the J. I. Case T. M. Co., closed a deal Saturday morning at the Automobile Show for representation of the Case car at Little Rock, Ark., including the territory surrounding that city. The deal was closed with J. N. Wheeler and John Quarels of that city.

Part of the contract insisted upon was that the three cars displayed at the Automobile Show must be delivered to them for immediate shipment to Little Rock, where they will be shown together with two others from the factory at the Little Rock Automobile Show, which opens March 6.

MORE PROOF OF UTILITY OF THE MOTOR CAR

There is an old adage that says something about "necessity being the mother of invention"—and certainly whoever coined that apt phrase knew what he was talking about.

When the coal shortage became so acute that National Fuel Administrator Garfield issued his drastic five-day industrial shut-down order, the Norton Grinding Company of Worcester announced that 700 of their employes would go into the company's wood lot and chop enough wood to keep Worcester warm until the situation could be relieved by the coal men.

When the manager of the Worcester branch of the Studebaker Corporation read of this generous contribution to the relief of a situation already assuming alarming proportions, he, too, felt a keen desire to co-operate. That 700 busy wood-choppers would have many an axe to grind before the completion of their five-day campaign brought to the Studebaker manager a realization that there was where he could be of invaluable service.

Loading a double-headed grinder on a Studebaker service car, a hurry up trip was made to the scene of operations. The question of power for the operation of the big grinder was settled when the automobile man suggested the use of a six-cylinder 50-horsepower motor then under the hood of a rakish Studebaker Sport Model in the retail salesrooms.

The motor mounted on a new one-ton truck from the Studebaker warehouse, with heavy leather belts streached from the flywheel to the pulleys of the grinder, a test was completed and the operator stepped on the starter button. And then to the engineers of the Norton Company came the greatest problem of all. The Studebaker motor lazily resting on its rough cradle, developed from 1800 to 2200 revolutions per minute, turning the twelve-inch stone wheels at the terrific speed of 11,000 revolutions, all too fast to properly grind any axe.

By the application of countershafts the speed was reduced to 2700 revolutions per minute, insuring the safety of the men who volunteered to pile up the sticks.

HARVESTS ICE WITH PASSENGER CAR

Motor trucks haul ice through city streets in summer, but it has remained for Wellesley, Mass.—that center of culture to harvest ice with a motor. And once more necessity is the parent of the idea.

Reuben Currier cuts ice from Morse's Pond in Wellesley. He was particularly anxious to get at the job early this winter, for the first ice was thick and clear and fine. Ordinarily, his work requires 25 horses and 35 men. But both horses and men were scarce this winter, so Currier's ingenuity devised spiked rims for the rear wheels of a Dodge Brothers touring car. After that the ice harvest proceeded merrily—and profitably—the Dodge Brothers car doing the work of four horses.

First the car was tried with the ice marker and then with the grooving plow, and it was found that a much larger expanse was covered than with horses. Then the car was turned to hauling the ice from the far side of the pond to the icehouse channel; and it easily towed cakes 100 feet long while men laboriously poled cakes only five feet long.

If it can be recovered the Post-Dispatch lost and found wants will bring back the lost article Diamonds, money, watches, etc., are among the articles recovered almost daily.

When Jack is Needed.

In the absence of a lifting jack for use in changing a tire, the wheel requiring the change can be driven upon the curb or a small rock, resting there until the front axle is blocked up. When on the curb the wheel will have to be turned in order to remove the tire.—Motor.

FORMAL DORT OPENING.

A formal opening of their new quarters has been arranged for this week by J. M. Neskov, president of the Neskov-Momperow Motor car Co. This firm has very recently taken over the retail distribution of the Dort line from the Kardell company which has the wholesale distribution in this territory.

A special display of Dort models together with the Dort chassis, which caused much comment at the auto show, will be at the salesrooms, 3116 Locust street, which will be decorated for the occasion.

A 13-YEAR-OLD DRIVER.

Ortheldo Smith, a thirteen year old youngster, left St. Louis yesterday driving a Big Reo Six for his home at Nashville, Ill., where his father is the Reo Dealer.

Last Summer when the Kardell Motor Car Company was experiencing a great deal of trouble securing freight equipment at the Reo factory, Smith and the boy drove a car apiece from Lansing Mich. to Nashville, a distance of nearly 600 miles and taking three days on the road.

Try This on Cylinder.

Opening the relief valves to see if a cylinder is missing is not always a reliable guide unless you speed up the engine. Feed plenty of gas and you will frequently get a burst of flame through the valve from what you thought was a dead cylinder.

DORT

"The Quality Goes Clear Through"

Formal Opening

A special exhibit of Dort models, together with the cut-out chassis which was the center of attraction at the Auto Show, has been arranged for the coming week as the formal opening of the salesroom and service station of the

Neskov-Mumperow Motor Car Co.

President Neskov urges the many who were interested in the Dort at the Auto Show to take this opportunity to more thoroughly investigate the "quality that goes clear through" and the excellent facilities for giving efficient service to Dort owners.

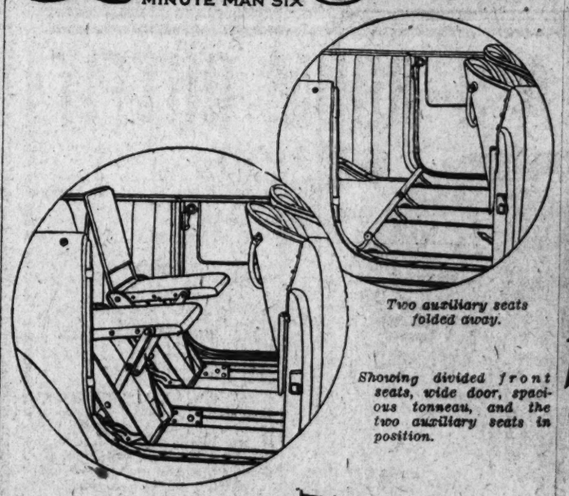
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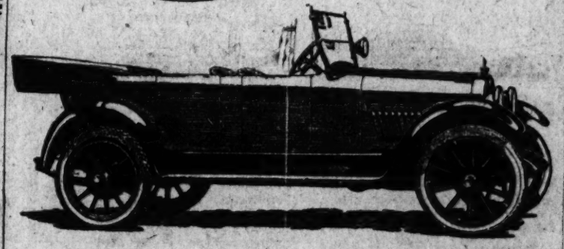
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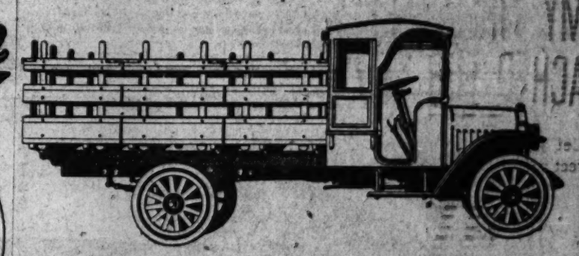
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AUTO NEWS and GOSSIP

Oscar Sontag, until recently manager of the Steuyer Ranch in Texas, and previous to that manager of Forest Park Highlands, has joined the Oldsmobile sales force of the DeLuxe Automobile Co.

James A. Harris, Jr., for years advertising manager of the White Co., has been made Captain in the Quartermaster's Corps, United States Army, and Millard H. Newton succeeds him.

E. J. Brandt, for four years with the Park Automobile Co., has joined the sales department of the Velie Automobile Co. of St. Louis.

H. L. McClaren has been elected president of the Ajax Rubber Co., succeeding W. G. Griebe.

Manager Bennett of the Overland Automobile Co. of St. Louis, reports that on Wednesday and Thursday of Show Week, 150 Overland cars were driven away from St. Louis by dealers who had come into St. Louis to visit the show, and who could not wait on railroad transportation for their deliveries.

STATE OK'S TINTED LIGHTS

Many motorists have been in doubt as to whether the Novial Conaphore headlight for motor cars complies with the new State law which calls for "white" lights. To settle this question, the Conaphore people asked for a ruling from the legal department of the State which construed the law as using the word white as a relative term as distinguished from a red or green light.

While the Conaphore lens is made both in the Novial and the clear glass, the manufacturers strongly urge the use of the Novial which has a yellow tint, claiming certain fog-piercing qualities which are of great value to the driver.

In addition to the tinting of the light, the rays are deflected downward by a series of prisms which keep them below the 42-inch line. The exterior is perfectly smooth, offering no creases to catch the dirt.

BRISCOE SHOW SALES.

Frank Bishop of the Briscoe Motor Sales Co., reports the following sales as having been made during show week: Barrett TenBroek, Marion Handley, sedan; Abe Swartzman of the Braman-Massa Jewelry Co. and Dr. D. R. Staikoff of Granite City, Marion Handley touring cars. Briscoe cars were sold to A. E. Harris of Granite City, Len Luly of Alton, Theodore Welhm of Pinkneyville, Ill., Rhineland Garage of Rhineland, Mo., Walter Thorman of Washington, Mo., T. R. Robinson of Greenville, Ill., Leturno Garage of Wheeler, Ill., J. F. Newton of Kirksville, Mo., Fred Hoehn of Witt, Ill., G. A. Saxomeyer of Red Bud, Ill., and F. R. Taylor, Fredricktown, Mo.

BATTERY MEN MEET.

William H. Palmer Jr., who has charge of the Exide starting and lighting battery department at the factory, has been spending several days in Kansas City and St. Louis with Mr. Marshall, the local Exide manager. Very successful conventions of distributors for Exide batteries were held in Kansas City last Friday and in St. Louis Tuesday, and Palmer gave the distributors a great many interesting facts regarding the construction and design of Exide batteries.

NEWEST WRINKLE IS A "GARAGELESS" CAR

In these times of wheatless, meatless and heatless days, we expect the unusual in the way of sacrifices and the automobilist is always ready to do his bit in the way of wartime economy. The "garageless" automobile, the last word in national thrift, has been successfully introduced this winter to the promenader of aristocratic Michigan Boulevard, Chicago, by a Franklin owner, who resides at the Illinois Athletic Club, located opposite Grant Park on the wind-swept shores of Lake Michigan.

The originator of the outdoor garage is a prominent Chicago business man, and judging from his experiments, or rather "experience," it is a success. His garage is situated in Grant Park, and may be located at night or day by a certain lamp post, which after a heavy snowsorm reveals, in periscope fashion, just where the Franklin lies underneath the surface.

Following the recent severe blizzard in the windy city," Mr. McDonald awoke one morning to find his enclosed car buried in a drift as high as the car. For nine days it was submerged, and then the S. O. S. was given to a South Park policeman and the steward of the Chicago Athletic Club, who together with the owner dug the car out after several hours work with shovels.

A suspicious crowd collected to see what the three gentlemen were mining and when they saw the automobile, they had visions of frozen radiators and water-pumps, for they had forgotten the air-cooled feature of the Franklin. They were amazed when they saw Mr. McDonald jump into the car and start it up just as if it were in a snug little garage.

HOME FOR DENBY TRUCK

The Martin Motor Truck Co., agent for Denby trucks for Eastern Missouri and Southern Illinois, has leased the building at 3314 Pine street for a period of five years from the Mitchell Motor Corporation.

Frank A. Martin, the president of the company, states that the company will operate a garage with both night and day service in connection with the sales for Denby trucks in this territory.

TEST TO BE MADE OF THE MISSOURI INCOME TAX LAW

Chamber of Commerce Will Take Validity Question Before State Supreme Court.

The Chamber of Commerce announced yesterday that it would test the constitutionality of the State income tax law, under which returns must be made before March 1. The action is to be taken on the strength of an opinion of former Gov. Joseph W. Folk, general counsel of the organization, that the law's constitutionality is doubtful.

The test will be made in a suit to be filed in a few days by the Ludlow-Saylor Wire Co., which will bring the question before the Missouri Supreme Court.

McAllister Questions Validity.

When the act was under consideration at the last session of the Legislature, Attorney-General McAllister gave an opinion that it was unconstitutional. Before it was passed some amendments were made that were intended to make it constitutional, but Folk thinks the constitutionality is still doubtful.

Jackson Johnson, president of the Chamber of Commerce, says the decision to make a test case is not with a view to evading taxation, nor is it taken up at the instigation of any certain interests, but simply to clear up the doubt and confusion concerning it as a public service to St. Louis and the State.

It is expected that the case will be heard at an early date by the Supreme Court, and it has been suggested to the Attorney-General that in the meantime State Assessors be requested to delay demands for returns.

Folk's opinion was mailed yesterday to all the members of the Chamber of Commerce by President Johnson, who suggested that they apply to the Assessor for an extension of time for making the return, until there is a decision, or make return under protest on a form attached to Folk's opinion for the purpose.

Text of Folk's Opinion.

Folk's opinion is as follows:

"The Board of Directors of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce having requested advice as to whether returns should be made under the Missouri Income Tax law of April 12, 1917, and if so when and to whom such returns should be made, I have the honor in response there to to submit this memorandum in the premises:

"The Income Tax law of Missouri levies a tax upon the income of every individual, citizen, or resident of Missouri on the basis of one-half of one per cent of such income. A like tax is also assessed on the net income of every corporation, joint-stock company; association, or insurance company organized in this State, but partnerships are excluded.

"An exemption from the income tax is provided, in the case of individuals in the sum of $3000 plus $1000 additional if the person making the return be the head of a family or a married man with a wife living with him, or plus the sum of $1000 additional if the person making the return be a married woman with a husband living with her; but in no event shall this additional exemption of $1000 be deducted by both a husband and wife.

"There are also exempted incomes of agricultural or horticultural organizations, mutual savings banks, fraternal societies operating under a lodge system, domestic building and loan associations, and co-operative banks without capital stock; cemetery companies owned and operated exclusively for the benefit of its owners, charitable, religious, scientific or educational associations, no part of the net income of which inures to the benefit of any private stockholder or individual; business leagues, chambers of commerce, civic leagues, and clubs not organized for profit and no part of the net income of which inures to the benefit of any private stockholder or individual; farmers or other mutual hail, cyclone or fire insurance companies, mutual ditch or irrigation companies, or telephone companies of a like character, the income of which consists solely of assessments, dues and fees collected from members for the sole purpose of meeting its expenses; farmers, fruit growers, or like associations; corporations or associations organized for the exclusive purpose of holding title to property and turning over the income therefor, less expenses, to an organization, which, itself, is exempt from the income tax Federal land banks and national farm associations; joint stock land banks as to income derived from bonds or other joint-stock land banks, or any Federal land bank belonging to such joint-stock land banks; income derived from any public utility performing functions of the national Government or in the exercise of any essential governmental function accruing to any state, territory or the District of Columbia.

Cites One Section in Particular.

"I call particular attention to section 32 of the act, which provides:

"'Any person, corporation, joint-stock company, association or insurance company who shall have paid a tax assessed upon his real or personal property to the State during any year shall be permitted to exhibit the receipt or receipts thereof to the Assessor to the full amount in the payment of incom taxes assessed against such person, corporation, joint-stock company, association or insurance company during said year.'

"It is obvious that this provision exempts the owner of real or personal property from income taxes to the amount of the State taxes paid upon such real or personal property, and thus imposes an income tax upon the owner of real or personal property different from the income tax imposed upon the man who owns no real or personal property.

"Article 10 of section 4 of the Constitution of Missouri provides that all taxes on property must be according to its value. The Supreme Court of Missouri, in Glasgow vs. Rowse 43, Mo. 479, held that a tax on incomes is not a tax on property within the meaning of the clause of the Constitution. But the Supreme Court of the United States, in Pollock vs. Farmers Loan and Trust Co. 157 U. S., page 558, held that a tax upon one's whole income is a tax upon the annual receipts from his whole property and as such falls within the same class as a tax upon that property and is a direct property tax within the meaning of the Federal Constitution. If the Supreme Court of Missouri follows Glasgow vs. Rowse 43, Mo. 479, and decides that a tax on incomes is not a tax on property, this law may be sustained. If, however, the Supreme Court of Missouri follows the later decision of the Supreme Court of the United States to the effect that a tax on incomes in a tax on property, then, under the Constitution of Missouri, such a tax on property must be according to its value; and the income tax law in question not being upon that basis, would be in conflict with the constitutional provision under consideration.

"Article 10, section 3, of the Constitution of Missouri provides that all taxes imposed by the State of Missouri shall be uniform upon the same class of subjects. The exemption of $3000 and $4000 in taxation in case of individuals, the exemption of the different stock companies and associations named and the exemption of the real and personal property owner to the extent of State taxes paid on such real or personal property, might be held to render this law in conflict with the clause of the Constitution above quoted. State ex rel Switzer, 143 Mo., 287, 331.

"Moreover, if the Supreme Court of Missouri follows the Supreme Court of the United States in holding that a tax on incomes is a tax on property, then the act in part at least, seems to conflict with Article 10, Section 7, of the Constitution of Missouri, which holds that all laws exempting property from taxation shall be void.

"Several states have income tax laws of somewhat similar character to this, but the constitutional provisions of those states are not as restrictive as are the constitutional provisions of the State of Missouri. There is of course no such limitation upon Congress under the Federal Constitution.

"The Supreme Court of Missouri alone has power to declare an act of the Legislature of Missouri void as being unconstitutional. Until the Supreme Court has spoken in condemnation of the act it is the duty of all citizens to obey it.

Advice to Members of Chamber.

"My conclusion is, therefore, pending a decision of the Supreme Court of Missouri as to the constitutionality of this law, that the members of the Chamber of Commerce should under protest make returns as provided by the act. This course would relieve the members from the penalties provided by the act for failure to make returns, which penalties are not less than $100 or more than $5000 and increased taxation, in the event the law should be eventually held valid; and if the law should be held unconstitutional by the Supreme Court of Missouri the taxpayer would be protected.

"The returns should be made on or before March 1, 1918, to the Assessor of the Revenue, city hall, St. Louis, in the case of a resident of the city of St. Louis or in the case of a resident of a county to the Assessor of such county. Under the circumstances, while the validity of the act is being tested, it is likely that the Assessors will be liberal in granting extensions of time within which to make returns, if application be appropriately made for such extensions. It is probable that the Attorney-General of Missouri will advise Assessors to extend the time of filing returns for 60 days, or pending a determination by the Supreme Court of the Constitutionality of the act."

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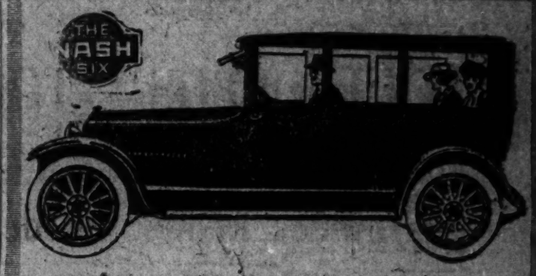
Under Inflation is Expensive.

Some motorists do not keep the tires properly inflated, giving as their reason that the car rides so much easier with a soft tire, and that when inflated to the pressure recommended by the maker the car rides hard. If one can afford such luxury, well and good, but it is expensive comfort. Under-inflated tires mean a greater consumption of fuel, a breaking up of their fabric due to the weaving movement and other stresses that separate the plies of fabric, and short life of the casings. With the cost of tires rising, it is economy to observe the instructions of their makers, and if the car rides hard to try and discover the real cause.

Sons of Revolution Elect Officers.

The Missouri State Society, Sons of the Revolution, has elected Bishop Daniel S. Tuttle of St. Louis as president, Lieutenant-General John Coulter Bates, U. S. A., stationed at Silver City, N. M., was elected first vice president. Other St. Louisans elected to offices in the organization are William R. Gentry, second vice president, and George T. Parker, secretary and treasurer.

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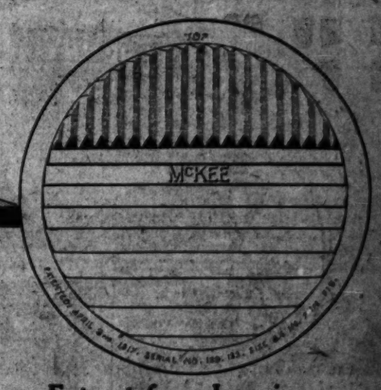
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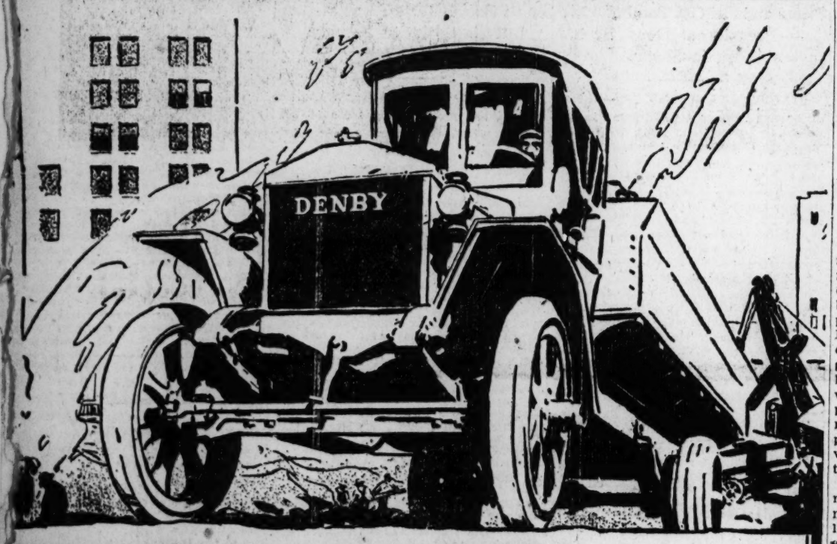
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FUTURE JUDGED BY EVENTS OF THE RECENT PAST

Automobile Conditions, in Line With Those in Other Businesses, Promise Most Optimistic Results.

Richard H. Collins, president and general manager of the Cadillac Motor Car Co. of Detroit, in an interview with the Post-Dispatch, said:

"The country is now passing from one state of affairs to another. The process has been under way since last April. It will not be completed for some months to come.

"In the process, we have become somewhat disturbed. War makes reorganization necessary. Not only in the nation as a whole, but in every activity which we carry on in normal time, and which will be continued in times of stress and abnormality.

"All industries are affected. Even our daily lives in our homes feel the influence and are readjusted in a score of different ways.

"Yet there is one basis from which the nation—and the business nation in particular—can face the future with optimistic confidence.

"This is the basis on which all business itself is founded—observation, experience and application.

"Let us concede that it is natural that men should be somewhat uncertain during this period of change from one thing or one set of things to another.

"Having conceded that, let us proceed on the assumption that this present state, and in of itself, argues no ill for the future. Because, as a matter of fact, it does not do that.

"Here is where experience comes in.

"Great Britain is at war, and has been at war for more than three years. Yet the people in Great Britain today are living better than they did before.

"The great dressmakers of Paris are selling more costly gowns now than they ever have, if private information is reliable.

"Australia—far removed from the scene of war's activities—is enjoying more business and more prosperity than ever in her history.

"The same is true of our own next-door neighbor—Canada. Wages are high; people have plenty of money. They are buying themselves things which they never before had the money to buy.

"And in all these countries people are giving their Governments all the financial aid asked. There is no shirking and slacking on that score.

"Such are conditions among our allies today. They, too, passed through a period of change and uncertainty like that which we are now in. They have reorganized themselves to a war basis, the same as we shall eventually do.

"The task before us is one of sensibly planning our lives and our affairs. We are faced with the problem of preparing to do many things which we normally would not do. Some of these may be distasteful at the outset. But our duty to our Government, and to our own selfish interests—if the two can be coupled together in this fashion—demands that we do them, nevertheless.

"Unless the temper and the mettle of Americans have been misinterpreted—unless our history is a history of perversion and falsity—American business is more than justified in regarding the future with full and complete confidence."

WHITE 16-VALVE ENGINE STILL OF ACUTE INTEREST

The Automobile Show this week will be especially interesting as a mirror of wartime sentiment. While many of the motorists are interested chiefly in luxurious custom-built bodies, the mechanical side is expected also to be studied closely. Last year the White company introduced the 16-valve four cylinder engine which was the magnet for public attention in every city where it was shown. The fact that it was displayed in the automobile show will not lessen interest in such a type, particularly at a time when motorists want high performance at low operating cost.

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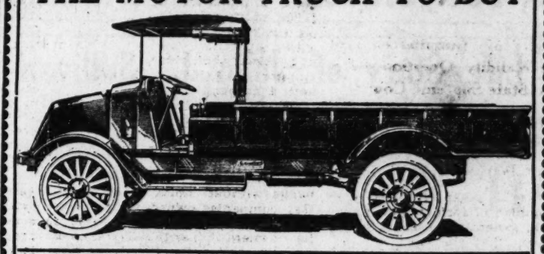
Applying New Tires.

In applying new tires, put them on the rear wheels, moving the half-worn tires to the front wheels—this will give them a longer life. In applying a single new tire, put it on the right-hand rear wheel, as this is the one that has the hardest work, and needs to be stronger than others.

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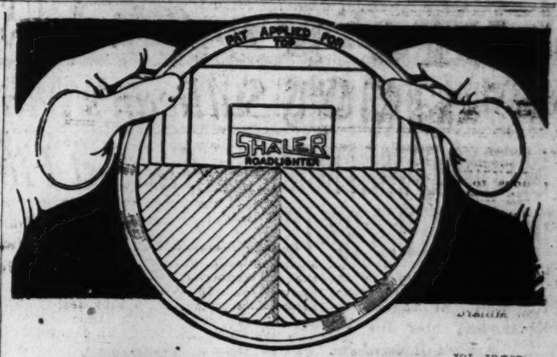
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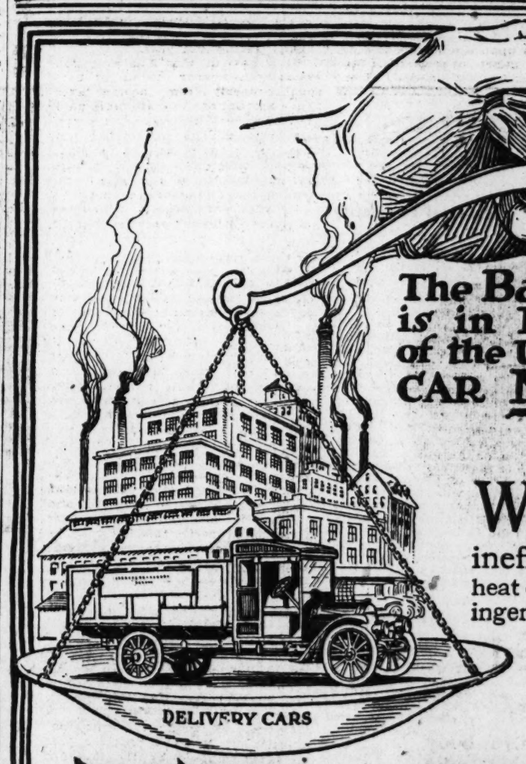
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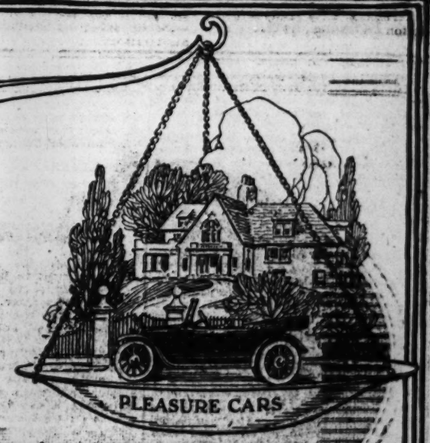
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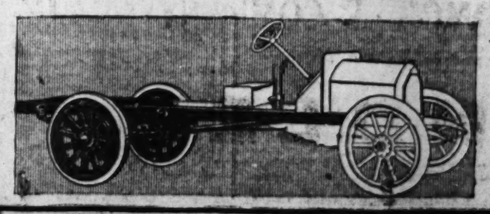
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WASHINGTON LANDS SECOND GAME FROM KANSAS U., 32-18

Marquard, at Center, Is Outstanding Star for Pikers Against Jayhawkers.

PLAY BILLIKENS NEXT

Local Teams Open Three-Game Championship Series at Muegges Wednesday Night.

Gaining a lead in the early minutes of play and never being headed once throughout the contest, the Washington University basket ball team gained its second straight victory of Kansas University at the Francis Gymnasium last night, 32 to 18. The decision evened up the count between the two Missouri Valley Conference quintets for the campaign, each having won two of the four battles staged.

While the Pikers won by a wide margin, the Jayhawkers made a better showing than in the opening contest. The visiting aggregation had none more chances to score than on the previous night, but the shooting was very poor. At the end of the first half the score stood 19 to 9 in favor of Rutherford's men.

Marquard Outstanding Star.

The play last night was not nearly as rough as in the opening game and very few fouls had to be called. This fact also aided in making the conflict a bit more uninteresting than the opening clash. There was little spectacular play by the tossers of either team.

Al Marquard, the center for the Pikeway aggregation, again stood out. This player has developed into one of the best centers in the Missouri Valley and his work last night again brought out this fact. Marquard scored more than half of the locals' points—he having 18 to his credit. He had eight field goals, while he made two free throws.

That Captain Kamp of Rutherford's aggregation is one of the best guards in the Valley also was brought out in the two battles with Jayhawkers. Kamp played Uhrlaub so closely that in the pair of conflicts, the latter was unable to score a single held goal. And this despite the fact that Uhrlaub is considered star of the Kansas quintet and one of the best forwards in the conference.

Play Billikens Next.

While Marquard was the outstanding star of the game, Benway and Duncker, at the forwards, also played well for the locals. Miller, who replaced Uhrlaub, was the leading point-getter for the Jayhawks with six to his credit.

The next contest on the Washington schedule will be the first of the three-game series to decide the collegiate championship of the city with St. Louis University, Wednesday night. This battle will be waged at Muegge's gymnasium, the home of the Billikens.

The lineups:

Washington (32)	Position.	Kansas (18)
Russell (2)		
Benway, (6)	Left forward	Uhrlaub (4)-Miller (6)
Duncker (4)	Right forward	Rice (4)
Marquard, (18)	Center	Matthews
Kamp (2)	Left guard	Lasslett
Roddin	Right guard	Knowles

KEEN KUTTERS DEFEAT BANK OF COMMERCE, 2-1

The Keen Kutters, leaders in the Saturday division of the Municipal Soccer Association, defeated the Bank of Commerce yesterday afternoon at Fairground, 2 to 1. The losers were late in arriving and forfeited one goal, which proved their undoing. Flood scored the other marker for the winners, while Duggan tallied for the losers.

The Union Electrics failed to put in an appearance for the schedule game with Eden Seminary. The games yesterday were the last on the regular schedule for this division.

Hoblitzell Will Take Examination for Army Mar. 11

First Sacker Has Recovered From Operation and Plans to Join Dental Corps.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 23.—First Baseman Dick Hoblitzell of the Boston Red Sox enjoys the distinction of being the only major league ball player to undergo a dangerous and serious operation in order to fit himself, if possible, for service in the United States Army. Hobby had been afflicted with an internal trouble, which did not interfere with his ball playing, but would prevent him from passing the severe examination required for entrance into the ranks of the army.

When a contract was offered him soon after the close of last season, he returned it unsigned, declaring he intended to go into the service and would not play ball this season if accepted by the Government.

So he came to Cincinnati, went to a hospital and had the operation performed. It was quite successful, but he had to remain in the hospital for three weeks, and for another month or two was very careful in moving around. He has now practically recovered and is ready to make his effort to join the Medical Corps.

Hobby is trying to enlist in the Dental Department. He is a graduate dentist and has practiced for some time, having been associated with his brother, a prominent dentist of this city, who is now in the army. Hobby received word today that his examination will take place at Camp Sheridan, Chillicothe, on March 11.

The first baseman said today that he may start the season with the Red Sox. It all depends when he is called into service.

Sullivan's Manager "Framed Up" Fight Against Him, but John L. Won Anyway

With Police Steaming After the Vessel and Knowing That Thugs Were Ranged Around the Ringside to Interfere, Sullivan Refused to Be Scared Out of Fighting.

By Jimmy Wakely.

Lifelong Friend and Only Living Backer of John L. Sullivan.

"HEART disease!" was what the doctor pronounced caused the death of the famous John L. Sullivan up Boston way the other day. That wasn't what caused his death. It was a broken heart. I know this to be a fact.

John loved his second wife more than the average man loves his wife—yes, far more. Sullivan idolized her. When she died about a year ago John was down-hearted. He had plenty of warning, though, that her days were numbered, as she had been suffering for years.

"I know I won't live long after she passes away," John frequently said to me. "It was she that made a man of me. When she goes I'll have nothing to live for."

When I received word of the death of John's wife I thought that he would fall off the water-wagon, which he had been so manfully clinging to for 12 years. I knew that the big fellow was so devoted to her that I thought her death would grieve him so that he would once again sign articles with John Barleycorn, the old-time enemy whom he had knocked out. But I guess it was because of his promise to her to never let a drop of liquor pass his lips again that checked him.

Greatest Opponent Whipped

ONE day I met a mutual friend of ours who was on his way to Boston. We were discussing John L.

"The poor fellow is so blue now, he'll be hitting it up again," I remarked.

Little did I think that this chap was going to tell John what I said. Later he came back with this message from John.

"You tell Wakeley for me, that I'd rather cut off my right arm than take another drink."

And that went.

If Sullivan never whipped another opponent he should be extolled for the great victory he scored over the Demon Rum. For a man who had trod the primrose path so oft, it was a wonderful thing for him to have suddenly quit and ended his days in a sober, industrious way. And it was his second wife that deserved a heap of credit for seconding him to his triumph over John Barleycorn.

SULLIVAN took great pride in having won the big fight. But even though he became such a steady driver of the water wagon, he didn't go about preaching to his friends. If he was in the company of a friend, he never lectured when the friend ordered a drink.

If you went to him and asked his opinion regarding drink, that was a different matter. Then he would tell you that there wasn't anything in the "grape" but sorrow and regrets.

Sullivan greatly admired Billy Sunday. He considered Sunday one of the greatest sources of good in the world. He even started taking up recruiting, after Sunday's style, lecturing on temperance.

"It's a funny thing," said Billy Muldoon to me after John had been buried, "but on Feb. 8 Sullivan had an appointment with me at the Hotel Astor, New York. I was to take him to a heart specialist." "John called me up on the long-distance phone," continued Muldoon, "and informed me that he had been bothered with pains in his heart for months. He told me that some Boston specialist told him that I was in touch with one of the greatest specialists in the world on this disease, and he asked me if I would set a date with the doctor for him. I told him to meet me on Feb. 8 and I would see to it that he received good medical care."

Was to See a Specialist

FUNNY, wasn't it, that the poor fellow should have been laid away two days before the time for his examination by the heart specialist?

Sullivan and I had been friends for years. But when I say that we were friends I don't mean to say that we never quarreled, for we often had arguments.

Who wouldn't argue with Sullivan? He had many set opinions that he wouldn't change for anyone. These arguments often resulted in our being on the "outs" temporarily, but it was usually the big fellow—wholesouled chap that he was—that made overtures of peace.

"Forget it," he would say in his philosophical way. "Life's too short to be scrapping like a couple of old women."

Then he'd put out his good right hand, give mine a hearty shake, and order a drink.

He Was Fine Irishman

AS I now think of the mighty gladiator, the words of that old song that Georgie Cohan wrote some years ago, come to my mind:

Bim Tim, you all know him;
John L., you know him well;
There never was a man named Sullivan,
Who wasn't a damn fine Irishman.

When Sullivan was KO'd by the Grim Reaper, he didn't have a cent in the bank. He left a little real estate, probably not worth more than $4000.

Of course you will wonder why a man who had been making the money that John had been earning during the past decade did not leave a fortune behind. I'll tell you the reason. Sullivan was the biggest heart-ed man I ever knew. He never knew the value of a dollar, before or after he quit drinking.

When John L. was running around the country, spending a fortune over the bar, he contracted hundreds of dollars' worth of debts. Everybody was glad to lend such a famous man money. And when John got the money, it went just one way, over the bar and into the hands of the cafe owner, providing the bartender happened to be honest.

WHEN John stopped drinking, he was given extensive booking in vaudeville, through the efforts of the late Tim Sullivan, the big New York politician. And Sullivan owed Big Tim a small fortune, too. Tim never expected or, in fact, never wanted a cent back.

Well, when John got on his feet, his creditors throughout the country received a series of shocks. He started paying back every cent he borrowed. He paid men who forgot that he had owed them. How he ever remembered so many debts is beyond me.

When he went up to see Big Tom and paid him off—to the cent—Tim could hardly speak. It was so unusual for a man to pay back money that had been squandered in drink. Tim didn't want to take the money.

"If you don't take it," said John L. to Tim, "you and I are going to be bad friends." Tim caught the flash of determination in the famous fighter's face. So he took the money.

This is just a sample of what John did. He paid off everybody. When he went on his journey across the Great Divide he didn't owe a copper.

His Real Popularity

WHAT an achievement! To have owed so many and to have died without anyone being able to say that John L. owed him money.

It wasn't because of Sullivan's personality that he was so popular. He was a gruff sort of fellow, who spoke in a harsh voice. If you didn't know him real well, you would have said that he was rough. It was because of his great achievement in the ring that Sullivan was so popular. Children throughout the country heard his name mentioned before they knew anything about George Washington or Abraham Lincoln. When he lost the title to Corbett, thousands shed tears of genuine sorrow.

Sullivan was a genuine fighting man. That was why he was popular. He didn't pick his opponents. Not only did he meet all-comers, but anybody who challenged received a chance at his title.

It was solely because of his ring record that John L. was popular. He was a real fistic idol.

KID McCOY told me at the memorial services held for John L. in New York of the great exultation he felt when he was a boy—I think it was in Indianapolis—when he just touched Sullivan's coat.

McCoy's joy knew no bounds.

"Hey, fellows!" McCoy cried to his pals, "I just touched John L. Sullivan's coat."

The Kid was envied by all his playmates.

Can you imagine anybody going into ecstasies because he touched the coat of Fred Fulton or Jess Willard? More likely a person would become angered if he had to come so near either one of these alleged fighters so that he had to touch his coat.

Sullivan always had a chip on his shoulder; that was the reason of his remarkable popularity all over the world.

How I First Met John L.

"NOW, I'll tell you how I first happened to meet Sullivan. In the month of August, 1879, I matched Johnny Dwyer against Jimmy Elliott for the heavyweight championship of America. We had to go way up to Long Point, Canada, to pull off the fight. The battleground was on an island in Lake Erie. The only resident was the lighthouse keeper. We had to charter a steamboat to reach the scene of the encounter.

The men fought for $1000 a side. Dwyer won in 11 rounds, the battle being fought according to the London ring rules, each knockdown constituting a round. The fight only lasted 12 minutes.

It was not long after this contest that I took Dwyer to Boston. He was a big card there, being hailed the champion of America. He exhibited at the Washington Music Hall. He was scheduled to box a fellow by the name of Steve Taylor, whose right name was Johnny Mahan. He was from Jersey City.

Cockey Woods, an old-timer who had at one time been matched with John C. Heenan, came to me and asked me if I would allow Dwyer to box John L. Sullivan, a young fellow he was interested in. I told him that it made no difference to me, and I suggested to Dwyer that he take on the youngster.

Was Waiting Anxiously

SULLIVAN was on the stage, anxiously awaiting the chance to face the champion. He was a great big lad, weighing about 185 pounds. He wore a bicycle cap. I don't think he had had fists up over once or twice.

But Dwyer would have no part of him.

"Go ahead," I said; "mix it up with this boy. He wants to meet you."

"Sure, I'll spar him," spoke up Sullivan.

"You're as bad as Woods is," Dwyer said to me.

He boxed Billy Mahoney, no persuasion inducing him to fight John L.

A year later, after Sullivan had had considerable experience in the ring, he came to New York and offered to pay fifty dollars to anybody who would stay four rounds with him.

Saved From Being "Jobbed"

OWNEY GEEGHAN sent me an English fighter named Morris to fight John L. I was advised by friends not to bother with Morris. Instead I matched John Flood to oppose the Boston Strong Boy.

On May 18, 1881, a big crowd boarded a barge at the foot of West Forty-third street. It was one of the toughest crowds I ever saw in my life. Some of the worst characters in New York were aboard. And in all fairness, I must say that I was the cause of many of the tough birds being on deck.

I'll mention one of the reasons I say Sullivan was one of God's noblemen. In repeated interviews, Sullivan claimed that it was I who saved him from being jobbed on the barge that day. I must confess—and I know John L. was aware of the truth—I was the one who planned to job him.

When that boat left the dock, Sullivan was doomed. There wasn't a chance in a million for him to win. At all costs, Flood was to win. That was why all those tough citizens were on hand. If Sullivan looked like a winner, these roughnecks were to stampede and stop the fight, which would have meant that all bets were off.

It was Sullivan's gameness that enabled him to score a victory despite such overwhelming odds.

Police Had Been 'Tipped Off'

THE police had been tipped off about the fight. They had to come around from the East River. The barge was towed up the Hudson by a tug. We knew that the police boat was on our trail. We sailed up to Yonkers. I pitched the ring myself on the floor used for dancing. When everything was ready, I went up to Sullivan's dressing room and said to Billy Madden, who was handling him:

"You'd better hurry up and get that big fellow of yours downstairs, so that he can take his licking and have it over with." Madden knew about the plot. Sullivan did, too.

"I know the best of it will be the worst of it," said Madden.

Do you think that Sullivan quailed? I should say not.

"Come on, Billy," said Sullivan, "let's fight, anyway."

Sullivan's indomitable fighting spirit, in the face of the knowledge that there were hundreds of the Big City's worst thugs down there to see that he didn't win, won my heart.

I went down to the fellows that I had previously instructed to job John L., and told them to lay off.

They were dumfounded. They couldn't understand why I switched plans. I told them how I came to do it. They didn't like my new orders. At that they cut the ropes when Sullivan won in the eighth round.

The fight had hardly ended when the police boat drew up alongside of the barge.

(In the next article I'll tell the inside story of Sullivan's fight with Herbert Slade, the Maori.)

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KANSAS AGGIES VICTORS.

AMES, Io., Feb. 23.—Scoring more from fouls Kansas State won from Ames this afternoon in a fast basket ball game, 22 to 18. Ames registered two out of 10 throws, while the Farmers got six out of 13. Hahn's guarding featured for Ames, while Vantrine starred for Kansas.

Iowa Defeats Chicago.

IOWA CITY, Iowa, Feb. 23.—Iowa defeated Chicago in a western conference basket ball game tonight, 29 to 26. The game was close throughout.

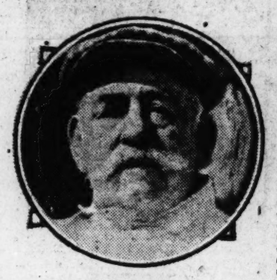
Life Story of John L. Sullivan

Told for the Post-Dispatch

—By JIMMY WAKELY—

HEREWITH is published the first of a series of articles on the life and battles of John L. Sullivan, the most popular fighter the world has ever known.

This series, which comes first hand from Jimmie Wakely, Sullivan's friend, manager and backer during the old days when John L. was just emerging from obscurity as the "Boston Strong Boy," touches on the human as well as the fighting side of this gladiator, whose career bridged the gap between the bare-knuckle days and the padded glove era of pugilism.



"JOHN L." AT 57.

Wakely is the only man in a position to boast a really intimate knowledge of Sullivan's earlier experiences, since all his other backers have died. Recently Billy Madden, Sullivan's trainer, also "checked in" for good.

In the next article Wakely will tell the inside story of Sullivan's fight with Herbert Slade, the Maori.

PETERSON BEATS HOPPE TWICE IN PLAY IN DAYTON

Wins Balkline Game 250 to 238, Then Takes Three-Cushion Match, 25 to 24.

CHAMPION BELOW FORM

Has Grand Average of 28.4 for 738 Balkline Points Since Leaving Here.

Away from his home city, Charles C. Peterson is having much better success against Willie Hoppe, world's champion billiardist. An even break resulted in the balkline and three-cushion games between Hoppe and Peterson at Dayton, O., the champion winning one of the 18.2 games, 250 to 33, while Peterson copped the other 250 to 238. Charlie calls the latter game "some battle."

At three-cushions in Dayton Peterson beat Hoppe, 25 to 24, running out in 30 innings. Hoppe then turned the tables in an angle contest, 25 to 12, in 23 innings.

Average Normal in Dayton.

In the first game of balkline, which Hoppe won, the champion finished in three innings with a high run of 130. Peterson took nine innings to count 250 points in the contest he annexed.

For the stay in Dayton, Hoppe counted 488 points of balkline in 12 innings, for an average of 40.6. Peterson scored 283 in 11 innings, an average of 26.1. In three-cushions, Hoppe's total points were 49 scored in 53 innings, an average of .92, while "Pete" counted 37 at the angle game in 52 innings, average .71. Each had a high run of five in these games.

Switching over to Columbus, Hoppe lost his stroke apparently as he required 14 innings for him to make his 250 points at balkline. He had a high run of 75. Peterson got 142 points in this match. In the three-cushion contest in Columbus, Hoppe won, 25 to 19 in 27 innings, an average of .93. Each had a high run of five.

Falls Below Standard.

Thus, since leaving St. Louis Hoppe has scored a grand total of 738 points at balkline in 26 innings, an average of 28.4, far below normal. Peterson's balkline record for a similar period is 425 points in 24 innings, an average of 17.7. In three-cushions, the score sheet reads 74 points for Hoppe in 80 innings, an average of .93, fully up to the standard he has maintained on his exhibition tour, while for Peterson it is 56 points in 78 innings, an average of .71.

Peterson's improvement may be accounted for in two ways, viz.: Hoppe has run short of oil or Peterson has found a scorekeeper, thus enabling him to devote more time to actual playing. The duo are now on the first part of their Eastern swing. Peterson is expected to return about May 15.

MANAGER OF FIGHT CLUB FINED $1000 AND PLACED IN CLASS A-1, RESIGNS

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 23.—Being fined $1000 and costs for violating the State prize fight laws and being put in Class 1 Division A, in the draft and ordered to be prepared to report, were too much for Paul Grabiel, secretary and manager of the Army Athletic Club here. He announced his resignation today.

GIANTS' ROOKIE HURLER CALLED TO DRAFT ARMY

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—George O'Neil, a St. Louis catcher is to be given a tryout with the New York Nationals on their spring training trip. Two other young players, W. W. Hubbell of Buhl, Idaho, a pitcher, and Clarence Pipp, an outfielder, will be given an opportunity to show their metals, it was announced today.

Sterling Stryker, a young pitcher obtained last year by the club from the Rochester Internationals, notified the National club today that he had been called in the national army draft. He said he had obtained permission from his local board to enlist in the navy.

Millers Lead Is in Danger Today

Ratican's Men Must Defeat Innisfails to Retain Top Berth in Soccer League.

The lead of the Ben Millers in the St. Louis Soccer League is again in danger. The Millers must win from the Innisfails today, should the Leos defeat the Navals, or hand over first place to the blue and white aggregation. The Leos and Navals fight it out in the opening game, while the Millers and Irishmen battle in the closing encounter.

The Ben Millers and St. Leos will be crippled for the contests today, because of the absence of several stars. Doc Shea and Jimmy Dunn of the Millers left during the past week for the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, while Eddie Mulligan of the blue and white was called into the national army. This will force both Managers Ratican and McCarthy to switch their line-ups for the clashes.

The league has gone back to the double referee system, Pete Harris, the former Innisfail star, who was injured recently, being down to assist Billy Bascom. Harris drew the opening game, while Bascom will officiate in the second.

The standings of the teams in the circuit are as follows: Ben Millers, 12 points; St. Leos, 16 points; Innisfails, 13 points; Naval Reserves, 10 points.

SPORT SALAD

BY J. C. Davis



Mr. Huggins Sings.

OVER here! Over here!
We will bag that old flag over here.
The Yanks are coming!
The Yanks are coming!
We're going to have a banner year.
Have no fear! Give a cheer!
Send the word, send the word far and near.
We're going over!
We're going over!
And we'll be world's champs when it's over, over here.

A Windfall.

THERE was a man in our town
And he was wondrous keen
To join the plutocratic class
And own a limousine.
One morning to his joy he found
His hen an egg had laid,
Whereat he bought the limousine
And cash for same he paid.

Semi-Vers Libre.

SAID a certain young lady named Vetter:
"I'll knit for myself a nice sweater
But it turned out so punk
That she rolled up the junk
And shipped it
Right over to
France.

Forecast.

For St. Louis—Gradual increase in the output of the egg-plants followed by falling prices.

Frank Navin says Ty Cobb will end his major league career in Detroit. About what year, Frank?

Heine Zim will start for Hot Springs on March 3 to get in condition for the spring sprints.

Not in Condition.

Heine is not satisfied with the result of that Collins affair last fall and thinks he can reverse the decision should they get together again this year.

Sam McVey claims that Harry Wills knocked him out with a foul blow. Must have hit him on the wishbone.

Jack Curley denies that he has a half interest in Jack Dempsey. All right, now let the war go on.

Curley says he is through managing box fighters. 'Smatter, Jack, has your voice gone back on you?

Boy, Page a Red Man.

Joe Jeanette wants a match with Jess Willard. Jess, however, has drawn the color line. He'll fight anybody in the world but a black or a white man.

Fielder Jones is due to arrive in St. Louis on March 4. The Browns start for Shreveport on March 10. Looks like first division.

Whitman College (Walla Walla, Wash.) has a one-legged basket ball player who is said to get around as fast as his two-legged team mates. We take it that Walla Walla twice is not noted for her speed merchants.

In spite of all denials Ty Cobb will play in New York this summer. He will also play in St. Louis, Chicago, Cleveland and every other city where the Tigers are scheduled to play.

Bill Hoppe made a run of 229 in his last exhibition here. You might call it a run, but to us it looks more like a flight.

"Home ties are needed to keep men at the front in good mental state." Come on, girls, and knit a few more home ties for the boys at the front.

Knitting home ties should be a cinch. It doesn't make any difference about the fit.

If Guy Fawkes were alive today, his gunpowder plot would be confiscated and turned into a war garden.

Seasonable Chatter.

This has been a long winter. Also broader and a bit thicker than usual.

People who spend the winter at Palm Beach never know the delights of popping from winter into spring. Blessed are the uses of adversity.

The palm beach season up this way begins about four weeks after the first robin warms up for the opening of spring.

Spring officially begins about the twenty-first of March, but it doesn't arrive until it gets here.

Seasons are not made by dates. It's the weather. One straw hat doesn't make a summer.

When you see a flock of small boys in swimming you can tell the world that summer has come.

"Ruppert denies that Ty Cobb is coming to the Yanks." That's a conservative statement, we'll say.

Windy City Pair Roll to Second Place in A. B. C.

Pflum and Ott Get Total of 1246 —Hermanson Does Best Work in Singles.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 23.—Chicago bowlers moved into the lead in the two-man event in the American Bowling Congress tournament here today when L. Pflum and W. Ott of the Carroll K. of C. team rolled 1246. C. Kappes and J. Reilly, also of Chicago assumed fourth place by bowling 1192. Other than this the bowling developed no sensations during the day. The only other score of importance was made by G. Hermanson, of Chicago, in the individual events. He bowled a total of 636 in his three games and tied for sixth place.

Binnin Brucks of Chicago went into the lead in the five-men team event tonight with a scorce of 2856, went in ahead of the Wooster Lamberts, St. Louis, while the G. W. K.'s of Buffalo went into fifth place, 2808.

The Illinois Athletic Club Blues bowled the best of the teams on the first shift tonight, and by totaling 2771, landed in seventh place.

The nearest total to the leaders tonight was bowled by Metcalf team of Chicago, who rolled 2729, but failed to get in among the first ten.

The leading ten teams in these events are:

INDIVIDUALS.

C. Wagner, Newark, N. J., 630; J. Schmitt, St. Louis, 647; J. F. Oetken, Louisville, 645; E. Wetterman, Cincinnati, 638; Frank Levy, Cincinnati, 636; G. Hermanson, Chicago, 636; F. Schapprizzi, St. Louis, 636; H. Steuart, Cincinnati, 629; J. Kuhl, Cincinnati, 628; R. Michaelson, Cincinnati, 628.

TWO-MAN TEAMS.

L. Pflum and W. Ott, Chicago, 1246; Lush and Blaney, Cincinnati, 1212; Huesmann and Emmerts, Cincinnati, 1193; Kappes and Rielly, Chicago, 1192; Kurleman and Brinkman, Cincinnati, 1179; Fries and Wetterman, Cincinnati, 1178; Harris and Walker, Cincinnati, 1175; Reihert and Dreidame, Cincinnati, 1175; Hoffald and Giesting, Cincinnati, 1174; Ernschwender and Mecklenburg, Cincinnati, 1168.

The Martin Fellhauer five of St. Louis rolled only 2330. The scores:

C. Hippe	195	158	158	511
H. Grosse	141	180	148	469
H. Meinhardt	187	187	163	537
P. Pitts	160	156	227	542
R. Meinhardt	173	156	148	477
Total	859	807	864	2530

BELLEAIRE GOLF TOURNEY YIELDS Y. M. C. A. $750

BELLEAIRE, Fla., Feb 23.—C. E. Shell of Cincinnati, with 87-8-78, and Miss Irene Moore of Chicago, with 105-25-83, won the Victory Golf Tournament here today. The prizes were donated by Capt R. W. Hunt of Chicago, and the entrance fees, which amounted to $750, were turned over to the Y. M. C. A.

Brown Swimmers Victors.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 23.—Brown swimmers defeated Amherts here tonight, 27 to 26. In the final event, the 100-yard swim, Prendergast, of Brown, took second place and added the points that brought victory.

Cannefax Faces Hard Task Before Kieckhefer Match

Local Cueist Meets Three of Best Interstate Players Previous to Title Clash.

Bob Cannefax of the Rex is facing one of the most trying tests of his career within the next two weeks. The champion not only has a hard schedule in the Interstate League, but must top it off by meeting August Kieckhefer in a 150-point match for the world's three-cushion title, March 13, 14 and 15.

Cannefax opens a protracted road trip tomorrow in Detroit playing against Ora Morningstar. On Wednesday he jumps over to Toledo for a two-game series with Hugh Heal. Then on Friday and the following Monday, he faces Charles McCourt at Cleveland and travels to Milwaukee for a two-game series with Charles Ellis the following Tuesday and Wednesday.

Originally, Bob had been scheduled to meet Kieckhefer in Interstate League games immediately after his clashes with Ellis. However, the title match necessitates a postponement of these contests and after the Ellis games, Bob will go to Chicago to put in about a week's practice before the big test.

The standing of the Interstate League players follows:

PLAYER.	W	L.	Pct.
Maupome	22	9	.710
Kieckhefer	16	7	.696
Layotn	21	10	.677
Reisslt	21	11	.627
Cannefax	16	10	.615
Heal	20	13	.606
Cullen	15	10	.600
Ellis	11	9	.550
McCourt	17	15	.531
Palmer	12	19	.467
Copulos	12	20	.375
Capron	10	14	.284
Morningstar	4	21	.160
Ryder	5	28	.151

Grammar School Basket Results

Division A.

Standings.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Wyman	2	0	Mullanphy	1	1
Fanning	1	1	Oak Hill	1	1
Mann	1	1	Gardenville	0	2

Last Week's Results.

Mann 13, Gardenville 4.
Wyman 13, Oak Hill 2.
Mullanphy 10, Fanning 9.

This Week's Schedule.

Tuesday at Cleveland High School—Mann vs. Mullanphy; Oak Hill vs. Gardenville; Wyman vs. Fanning.

Division B.

Standings.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Harrison	2	0	Laclede	1	1
Arlington	1	1	Junion High	0	2

Last Week's Results.

Laclede 16, Arlington 3.
Harrison 10, Junion High 8.

This Week's Schedule.

Thursday, at Soldan High School—Arlington vs. Harrison; Laclede vs. Junion High.

Division C.

This Week's Schedule.

Thursday, at Bryan Hill School—Walnut Park vs. Bryan Hill; Ashland vs. Harney Heights.

'DROP SWEENEY, IF YOU WANT A. B. C. TOURNEY'—HOWARD

Chicago Tenpin Czar Declar He Opposes St. Louis Bowl ing Politician.

LOCAL FANS DEPRESSE

Failure to Get 1919 Event, He ever, Fails to Deter Conventions Bureau.

While the St. Louis delegation the American Bowling Congr meeting at Cincinnati Friday w disappointed over the failure in landing the 1919 tournament, Char E. Hatfield, secretary of the co ventions bureau, said yesterday th the Mound City would be in t running for the 1920 tournament.

In an address to the delegates f lowing the final count of the vot Hatfield said as follows: "We w be in Toledo next year with our reg lar number of teams, and will be the thick of the fight for the 19 tournament."

Before the gathering, the Cleve land delegates had made it know that they would go after the 19 rolling, but with Toledo getting t tourney, they withdrew.

"With Toldo getting the tourn ment, we are out of it for 1920, b cause this would bring the nation rolling to Ohio for three straig years," said William Agnew, president and leader of the For City delegation, to Hatfield.

Hatfield also stated that many the Chicago delegates told him "th they were tired of the way thin were being run, and that they wou vote in favor of St. Louis should t city be in the hunt for the next t rolling."

St. Louis Made Good Impressio

"We are figuring on the Americ Bowling Congress for 1920, as one o our coming events," stated Hatfield yesterday. "Our disappointment i Cincinnati may be a God-send in dis guise. I think that we left a favorable impression.

Many of the visiting delegates came to me after the meeting and stated that they would vote for St. Louis the next time."

While it was said that the objection to St. Louis was its geographical sit uation, George B. Howard, bette known in the tenpin world as "Judge" Howard, and the man who rules the A. B. C., stated this was not his re reason for opposing St. Louis. H main objection to this city he state was one man—Dennis Sweeney.

They Don't Like Dennis.

"Get rid of Sweeney, and we w vote for your city," stated Howa "I have no objection to St. Louis, as long as Sweeney is prominen connected with the game. I'll fi you."

And beating Judge Howard his combine is something the Louisans have been unable to accom lish to date. That Howard politics r the meeting was shown clearly. the annual gathering, Howard p three motions before the delegat and every one of them carried. A when Howard said:

"I make a motion that we go Toledo next season" even before a talks had been made in regards the 1920 rolling that just "abo settled things.

The "Howard combine" takes in t Chicago vote and also the Milwauk which withdrew from the running went solid for Toledo. And beati Milwaukee with 47 votes and Chica with 41 is a task. This alone brin 88 votes to the city that is after t tournament and which is backed Howard.

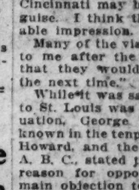
Bowlers Disgusted.

While Hatfield stated that St. Lo would be in the field for the 1 tourney, many of the bowlers, pressed themselves as far from lefied.

"This is once too often," was announcement from most of the "and there is a chance that we pass up the A. B. C. next year go to the international at Minneap

However, many things may happ between now and the next nation tournament, and without a dou St. Louis will have its regular que of quintets on hand.

Nothing was said at the annu meeting in view of doing away wit the five-man teams for the nex tournament. It had been stated th this would be one of the questio brought up, but everyone seemed have forgotten about it. The pl was to make the teams of either fo or six men so that all the tenpiner would get a chance at the all-expe prize.



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The Next Race for Tennis Supremacy Will Strongly Resemble the Mongolian Race

JIMMY BURKE IS SIGNED BY BALL TO ASSIST JONES

Local Boy, Formerly With Detroit, Expected to Help Browns in Flag Struggle.

HAS HAD LONG CAREER

Managed Several Clubs Previous to Big League Berth—Rickey Returns Tomorrow.

Jimmy Burke, one of the foremost citizens of Goose Hill, was signed to a contract by the Browns after a conference with Phil Ball yesterday afternoon. Jimmy's particular tasks during the coming season will be to sit in on the Fielder Jones Board of Strategy, keep the players in a good humor, exercise his vocal chords on the coaching lines, put the young pitchers wise to the tricks of the trade, lasso the other fellow's goat, tell the umpires where to get off, give his manager the benefit of his four years' experience in the American Lague, earn his salary and otherwise make himself useful.

Aside from that, Jimmy will have plenty of time for his pinochle games.

Jimmy Is a Wise Boy.

The acquisition of Burke, however, isn't to be treated lightly, for there are those thoroughly versed in affairs of the American League who will tell you Phil Ball has picked up a mighty useful subordinate. Jimmy has been attached to the Detroit club for the past four years and acting in the capacity of coach and assistant manager of Hughey Jennings' club has been given not a small share of the credit for keeping the Tigers up there. Tyrus Raymond Cobb notwithstanding.

While the fact may not be generally known, Jimmy has had a long career in baseball, more or less of which was successful. He started out with the American League when it was organized in 1900 as a member of the Milwaukee and Chicago American League clubs.

In 1906 and 1907, he was manager of the Kansas City club in the American Association, while in the following year, he piloted Louisville. In 1909, he held down third base for the Indianapolis club and accepted the management of Fort Wayne in 1910. In 1911 and 1912, he was manager of the Indianapolis club and in 1913, returned to Fort Wayne.

He Gets Results.

The next year, he was signed by Hughey Jennings for the Detroit club, mainly because of his experience and ability to get the maximum of results out of his players. Jimmy and Jennings have provided an inimitable pair on the coaching lines and they do say Jimmy is rated as the best in the league in the art of making opposing pitchers seek higher altitudes despite their disinclination to do so.

When Bill Donovan was signed by Frank Navin several days ago, Burke found himself without a job. Navin wrote Phil Ball, recommending Jimmy and after Ball had gotten Fielder Jones' approval, Burke was signed to a contract. Jones believes Burke will prove a valuable man during the coming season.

George Davis, present assistant to Jones, is coaching the Amherst College baseball club and will not report to the Browns before June. It was this fact that probably influenced Fielder to line up Jimmy Burke, as he will go south with the club and help out on the spring training trip.

What's This Worth?

Here is one more shot at that Hornsby rumor and then let's hope they embalm it. Charles Weeghman now reported willing to give Pete Alexanderstop. Because Branch Rickey is out of the city and will not return until Monday, it is impossible to give the local angle to it. However, Jack Hendricks still contends that he knows of no trade pending.

Whitted in Deal.

According to a report from Chicago yesterday, George Whitted was in consultation with Cubs' officials. Whitted, the report says, has been given permission to deal with the Bruins, in order that he may join Alexander and Killifer.

Shocker Ready to Start.

Bob Quinn, business manager of the Browns, received a letter from Urban Shocker yesterday, in which the new Brownie hurler conveyed the information that he was ready to start south any time the club suggested. Quinn hopes to announce the complete training trip itinerary next week.

Municipal Soccer Contests Today

SENIOR DIVISION.

Carondelet Park—Southerns vs. Eckhardts, 2 o'clock; Stag A. C. vs. Cohimans, 3:30 o'clock. Otto Kaiser, referee.

Fairground No. 2—Trumbulls vs. Ben Millers, 2 o'clock. C. E. Roche, referee.

Fairground No. 4—St. Matthews vs. St. Loborius, 2 o'clock; St. Teresas vs. Malleys, 3:30 o'clock. Marty Byrne, referee.

Sherman Park—Muellers vs. Notre Dame, 2 o'clock; St. Louis Screw Co. vs. Lennox, 3:30 o'clock. Oliver Miller, referee.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

Sherman Park—Trumbulls vs. Harlem Heights, 2 o'clock; K. P. M. vs. Lenhores, 3:30 o'clock. Phil Kavanaugh, referee.

How the National Game Has Followed the Flag to the Battle Line



The above reproduction is from a photograph taken back of the trenches on the Western front in France. The game is being encouraged among the enlisted men by the Young Men's Christian Association leaders. An American Y. M. C. A. hut is visible in the background.

National League Pays $55,000 of Fed League Debt

Amount Settles Senior Circuit's Account to Date Under Terms of Peace Agreement.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—John C. Toole, attorney for the National Baseball League, today handed over a check for $55,000 to James Hindman, attorney for former Federal League clubs, settling the National League's account up to date with the Federal League clubs under the terms of the agreement of two years ago.

Of the amount $25,000 goes to the Pittsburg Trust Company, receivers of the former Pittsburg Federal League club, which settles in full the National League's obligation to that club; $20,000 goes to the Robert B. Ward estate for two years rental of the Brooklyn Federal League park; and $10,000 to Harry Sinclair for two years' rental of the Newark Federal League grounds.

It also was announced that the National League has eighteen more annual payments of $10,000 each to be made to the Ward estate and eight additional payments of $5000 to Sinclair.

President B. B. Johnson of the American League, it was said, also will send a check for $55,000 to the Federal League attorney in the near future as the American League share of the Federal League peace indemnity.

John K. Tener, president of the National League will make all future payments for his league, without further action by that body.

Elimination of the Federal Baseball League suit will cost the National League and American League $550,000, it was learned officially tonight.

CORNELL VICTOR OVER PENN IN RELAY RACE

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 23.—Cornell athletes easily beat the University of Pennsylvania relay team here tonight, in the feature of the annual indoor games of the Johns Hopkins university athletic association. Indian Joe Guyon, Georgia Tech's well-known athlete, won a first in the shot-put and second in the low hurdle race.

Summary:

440-yard dash (S. A. I. A. A. championship), won by Dorsey Griffith, Georgetown University; W. L. Gates, Georgetown, second; B. Smith Jr., Johns Hopkins University, third. Time: 53 4-5 seconds.

100-yard low hurdles (S. A. I. A. A. championship), won by W. L. Gates, Georgetown; Joseph N. Guyon, Georgia Tech., second; G. E. Strupper, Georgia Tech., third. Time: 12 seconds.

Putting 16-pound shot (S. A. I. A. A. championship), won by Joseph N. Guyon, Georgia Tech.; distance 39.22 feet.

High jump (S. A. I. A. A. championship), won by M. Firor, Johns Hopkins University. Height 5 feet 2⅝ inches; C. B. Blackwell, Georgia Tech., second; 5 feet 2 inch.

Cornell easily won the two mile relay race from University of Pennsylvania. Time: 8 minutes 11 2-5 seconds.

BERRY TO SELL CLUB.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Negotiations for the transfer of the stock of the San Francisco Base Ball Club of the Pacific Coast League from Henry Berry and others to Charles H. Graham and George A. Putnam of Sacramento, were practically completed at a conference tonight, it was announced, and final papers may be signed tomorrow. The purchase price was not stated.

ILLINI IS ELIMINATED.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 23.—Wisconsin eliminated Illinois in the Western conference basket ball tonight by winning an easy game 23 to 15. Chandler starred for the winners.

YALE DEFEATS COLUMBIA

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The Yale University basket ball team defeated the Columbia University five, 16 to 14, in an intercollegiate league contest here tonight.

PRINCETON FIVE WINNER.

PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 23.—Princeton defeated the Cornell basket ball team in an intercollegiate league game here today, 21 to 14.

Michigan Five Beaten.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 23.—Northwestern defeated Michigan, 18 to 14, in a western conference basket ball game here tonight. Po. I was the star for Michigan.

WRAY'S COLUMN

Return of the "Yellow Peril."

LOOK out for the Japanese invasion of 1918—it's coming! The "yellow peril" that will soon be launched against us promises to have even better fortune than the one which made such a valiant attack on 1916.

The invading army will number only one, and he a mere mite weighing not over 125 pounds; but the conditions under which his campaign will be undertaken seems to spell disaster.

The saffron tinted menace is Ichiya Kumagae, the bespectacled, polite and capable tennis player who made his first bow to an American gallery in a championship event on the Triple A Forest Park, and who still holds the trophy he won then—the Central States championship cup.

Kumagae, if he lost none of ability, will find conditions easy, compared to those encountered during his last tour, when the country was stocked with championship talent.

In fact, it is almost certain, at this time, that the American Championship will be for the first time won by a player not of Caucasian race, if he decides to compete.

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ENLISTMENTS in the army and navy have taken practically all of the first 15 or 20 ranking U. S. players of 1916. R. Norris Williams, Griffin and others are already in France and the remainder will either soon be there, **or will be so lacking in tennis practice as to be unable to afford the little brown star adequate competition.**

This situation was made possible by the recent action of the National Tennis Association, in restoring championship play. Last year, all title tourneys were abandoned and Kumagae did not even return to America to play in the various events that he had won during his campaign. He renewed his bond on his trophies and remained at home.

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A Star of First Water.

IT is not straining the fancy to picture Kumagae in the title role of American—yes, world's champion. His opponents will be the old "has-beens," like Belas Wright and Fred Alexander, or upcoming juniors who do not seem equal to the task of trimming the cool, careful, undaunted little fellow.

Kumagae lacks one or two points of being a genuine champion, but his merit and stamina are attested by his 1916 campaign when **he figured either as winner, finalist or semi-finalist in practically every big tournament in which he participated, in this country.**

Starting with the Central States tourney in St. Louis, and the sectional doubles also held here, Kumagae played continuously every day except Sunday, in tournaments of the hardest character, up to and through the national championship early in September.

He astonished the country by winning the Newport tourney, the New York State tourney and the Central States championship. He defeated Wm. M. Johnston, then champion, Clarence Griffin twice, Nathaniel Niles, and many other high ranking opponents. **Only four players defeated the Jap during the entire two months of play—Washburn, Armistrong, Murray and Church.**

None of these men, it is believed, will be in the race against the Jap this season, when national tourney time rolls around.

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The Other Angle.

STATISTICIAN IRWIN HOWE has figured that Derrill Pratt is a better fielder than Eddie Collins because he has accepted 5.52 chances on the average per game during his entire American League career. The famous Eddie Collins' figures are 5.14 chances. This is supposed to make Pratt a better infielder than Collins; but **to arrive at the conclusion you have to forget Collins' superiority in base running, hitting, headwork and pinch efficiency.**

Pratt may make a great keystone defender and run-producer for Milwaukee; but he has seldom shown the dependency or emergency stuff that goes to make up the truly great performer.

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Kumagae, Japanese Net Star, to Invade U. S.

ICHIYA KUMAGAE, the diminutive Japanese tennis player whose wonderful campaign in the United States in 1916 resulted in his being ranked fifth in the country, is coming to America again.

Word received here is to the effect that he will soon leave Japan to take up a permanent residence in the United States. He is expected to enter the employ here of a Nipponese importing firm.

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Oh Boy, This Is Early.

IN fact, it wouldn't be such a bad guess that Miller Huggins' tribe will finish further in second division than last year, unless the "Rabbit" lures more talent to his fold before the season starts.

Huggins' pitching staff is by no means what it is heralded, with Ray Fisher and Love gone to the wars, Caldwell unreliable and Mogridge an in-and-out star. Shawkey seems to be Huggins' ace at this writing, and he won't win any pennants.

Huggins has one of the feeblest hitting outfields on the map. Hendrix, Miller, Gilhooley, High and Marsans did the outfielding last year. They may have done a good job defensively, but on attack the biggest punch was carried by Miller, .251. **The stars, Gilhooley, High and Hendrix, hit .249, .242 and .236.** Hitters of this stripe absolutely block a team off from hope.

The Browns' pitching staff will be superior to the Yanks'. The club has one truly great player, Sisler, such as New York cannot boast; it is splendidly equipped with veteran catchers, two of them hard clouters; **it has an outfielder who led the American Association hitters last year; another who led the Western League sluggers; and a third who practically led the Pacific Coast League.** All of them are long hitters and at least one, probably two, will be permanent. The club is trying hard for a proven extra-base slugger, caliber about .275 or over, who can field some and clean up with the bat when men are on base. They have a man lined up but have not signed him.

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Jones' Outlook Fair.

THE situation Manager Jones will be confronted with is therefore not so bad, containing strength where he most desires it—in battery work, with a promise of speed and hitting. One-half the infield and two-thirds of the outfield are still problematical.

Fielder's case is at least as hopeful as Huggins', and with luck in new material landed he might nose his way into fifth place ahead of the Yankees.

Even with good fortune, he would still have to go some to lift his aggregation into the first division over clubs like the Sox, white and red, Cleveland and Detroit.

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Dempsey "the Goods?"

This Jack Dempsey seems to be a real heavyweight terror. Stopping Carl Morris in six rounds is a better job than either Willard or Fulton could do. It outranks the performances of a dozen well-known heavyweights. Carl has always been easy to hit, but hard to floor.

Perhaps Dempsey is going to have something to say about Fred Fulton's claim to be first in line for consideration by Jess Willard.

The ring can stand a little new blood in the heavyweight class.

Cleveland Beaten by Soldan Five; Central in Lead

Dope Jolted in High School Double Header; Central Nears the Title.

Once more Soldan spilled the dope in the High School Backet Ball League by defating Cleveland yesterday afternoon in the feature game of the weekly double-header. Soldan had previously beaten Cleveland, but because of a reversal in form in the interim, Cleveland went into the contest yesterday the favorite.

The final score was 20 to 17. Soldan holding a 10 to 7 edge at the half way mark. The second period was one of the most exciting of the season. Cleveland was leading with about five minutes to play, when Soldan tied it at 17 all. French then scored a field goal, puting Soldan two points in the lead and Smith's free throw about 2 minutes before closing time, spelled defeat for Cleveland.

Scores Are Scarce.

One of the real features of the game was the scarcity of scores. Placke, for Cleveland, counted 11 free throws out of 22 attempts, while Smith for Soldan, counted 12 free throws in 20 tries. Thus was the game won largely on free throws, as Cleveland counted but 3 field goals while Soldan bagged one more.

The lineup.

Soldan.	Positions.	Cleveland.
French	Left forward	Placke
Smith	Right forward	Hamel
Calhoun	Center	Lippert
Schuster	Left guard	Kraehe
Gazzolas	Right guard	Scholz

Substitutes—Long for Calhoun, Schnaus for Gazzolas, Crumm for Placke, Gilbert for Hamel.

Points—French, 6; Smith, 14; Placke, 11; Hamel, 2; Lippert, 4.

Central Nears Title.

Central all but clinched their right to the Interscholastic title in the first game of the double bill yesterday, by beating Yeatman 22 to 14. As the race now stands, all the teams have two more games to play and Central can lose their two, while either Soldan or Cleveland must win both to tie the Centralites for the lead. On the other hand, if Central wins next week, they will clinch the title.

Widdicomb's playing was a big feature of the game. The Central guard got back in the game after an absence of several weeks and he minimized the work of Linnemeyer to such an extent that the latter was able to count but one field goal. This weighed heavily in the balance against Yeatman.

Yeatman counted but four field goals, while Central scored twice that number. The winners wheeled into the second period on the long end of a 13 to 8 score. The lineup:

Central.	Position.	Yeatman.
Crossley	Left forward	Linnemeyer
Farnsworth	Right forward	Meyer
Cristal	Center	Crauswick
Margulis	Left guard	Hausladen
Widdicomb	Right guard	Samel

Substitutes—Foster for Crossley, Wassal for Foster, Wellman for Meyer, Weinel for Crauswick, Roettger for Samel.

Points—Crossley, 7; Farnsworth, 4; Cristal, 9; Widdicomb, 2; Linnemeyer, 6; Crauswick, 2; Weinel, 2; Hausladen, 4.

LOCAL YOUNGSTER TO GET TRIAL WITH LITTLE ROCK

Harry English, St. Louis boy, will be given a chance to hold down the shortstop job for the Little Rock club of the Southern Association during the coming season. English has been ordered to report to Little Rock on March 20. Norman (Kid) Elberfeld, former big leaguer, is managing the club.

English is just 18 years old and has been playing semipro baseball here for the past two years, as a member of the Gray-Adams club. Those who have seen the youngster perform predict a successful career for him. He is fast, a good fielder and has hit well in the company in which he has been traveling.

WESTERN LEAGUE TO MEET

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 23—The spring meeting of the Western League, at which probably will be adopted the playing schedule of next season, will be held in DesMoines Sunday March 3, it was announced tonight by E. W. Dickerson, president of the league, upon his return from a visit to several cities of the circuit. The spring meeting originally was planned for another date.

ATHLETICS PROVE "LIFE SAVER" FOR MEN 'OVER THERE'

Sodiers Take to Sports as Soon as They Embark From Transports in France.

BASEBALL REAL LEADER

French Peasants Always Interested Spectators at Games Between the Teams.

PARIS, France, Feb. 23.—In the language of the soldiers themselves, sports have been a "life-saver" for the American expeditionary forces in France. No sooner does a transport land its quota of troops than the big athletic field at the American demarkation port in France is crowded. Games of all kinds furnish the best possible means of resting cramped muscles and providing relief after the long nerve-straining trip overseas. At the big base camps inland, too, and in every village where Americans are billeted, athletics are the constant diversion in leisure hours.

Baseballs by the thousand have been sent over to meet the insatiable demand. From far and near the French peasants have come to view these curious soldiers from another land and to watch in puzzled astonishment the even more curious game that is their favorite.

Miniature World's Series are regular events every Wednesday and Saturday afternoon at the many places where Americans are found. The French crowd around utterly regardless of foul tips and the players' warnings not to stand behind the bat.

Other Sports Are Popular.

But if baseball is most popular, other sports run it a close second. Athletics of every kind are so highly regarded by the military that this phase of the new recreation center established for American troops in the French Alps has been placed in charge of the Y. M. C. A. with instructions to provide every means of interesting and recreating the soldiers on leave from the front.

The American soldier is almost never too tired or too hungry or too homesick or "blue" to play. The footballs and baseballs and other athletic equipment which the Y. M. C. A. provides for him are seldom idle, unless the weather is such as to drive him indoors. Even then he resorts to indoor games, such as ping pong, which now has a great vogue throughout the American camps.

A good many games the American soldier boy has learned since coming to camp. Volleyball is one of the outdoor games which was new to the soldier, but has won a wide popularity under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. physical directors who perfected the game in their big gymnasiums back home.

The games that require no change of clothing are the ones that have won the greatest numbers of enlisted men. A soldier doing intensive training has little or no time for changing his clothes.

Inter-Unit Games Fostered.

In the furnishings and incidentals of the standard type of Y. M. C. A. hut, a standard athletic equipment costing more than $300 is always included. More than 140 different items are included in this equipment, for such games as volleyball, baseball, football, quoits, basketball, soccer, medicine ball, boxing, wrestling.

Competitive sports in the camps all have a direct bearing on the morale of the troops. Esprit d' corps is being fostered by way of inter-unit competition in games, meets and other contests; by bringing about through the medium of athletics the group spirit and loyalty that "root for the home team."

In practically every one of the big camps and cantonments, often on direct invitation of the commandant, the head Y. M. C. A. athletic director has worked out a comprehensive scheme of divisional athletics.

Its aim is to have every company represented by a team in some one of the leading athletic activities.

Ticket Sale for Municipal Event Now Totals $804

Association Is Assured of Making Money at Benefit Carnival Next Saturday.

The Municipal Athletic Association, which is staging an athletic meet for the benefit of the Soldiers and Sailors Club at the Coliseum next Saturday night, will make money on the venture, it was announced by Rodowe Abeken yesterday. To date $804 worth of tickets have been sold, while the expenses will amount to about $600. This means that $204 is already cleared.

The tickets sold represent 1000 reserved at 50 cents each and 304 boxes at $1. The only remaining tickets to be sold are those for 25 cents. Many houses in the city have asked for reserved seats, but it was impossible to accommodate them. Among those who asked for these were the Forest Park Golf Club and Grover Cleveland High School.

The Missouri Athletic Association will have a three-man team in the meet, it was announced yesterday. Irving Biel, the veteran ten-miler, will be entered in the 6000 and 1000 yard runs, while John Mohen will start in the 600. The other entrant is Fritz Laumart, a former Central High School star, who will compete in the shot put.

Entries for the meet close on Friday night.

New Orleans Man Will Referee Bout Between Fred Fulton and Moran

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 23.

DICK BURKE, a local man, has been chosen to referee the Fred Fulton-Frank Moran 20-round fight, scheduled to take place here Monday. The announcement followed the arrival here yesterday of Moran, who came from Hattiesburg, Miss., where he had chaperoned his Camp Wadsworth boxing team through a tournament with the Camp Shelby fighters.

Moran really is in splendid condition, thanks to his post as boxing instructor and to the unusual efforts he has expended in getting himself into condition. He says he weighs 196 pounds, which is less than when he faced Willard, two years ago.

Preparations have ben made to care for the largest attendance in the history of ring affairs in this city.

Third Meeting of Cole and M'Govern Set for March 5

Eddie Randall or Kid Regan Wanted by S. B. A. C. for Subsequent Bout.

With the return meeting between Billy Cole and Benny McGovern slated March 5, South Broadway Athletic Club officials now are looking ahead for a suitable bout for two weeks from that date. It is the hope of the promoters that they can find opponents for either Eddie Randall or his bantamweight protege, Kid Regan.

Cole and McGovern have agreed to make 125 pounds at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of their bout and there was no hitch this time involving finances. McGovern got the long end of the purse in their previous meeting, but agreed the next time they were matched to meet Billy on even financial terms.

There has been much dispute since the second meeting of the boys as to the supremacy. Many critics called the bout a draw, while Cole was given a shade by others. It appears they are about as evenly matched as any two boys in the city and a knockout probably will be the only satisfactory means of determining who is the better man.

Young Zulu Kid, who has been asked to meet Kid Regan at the South Broadway Club, is trying to perpetrate a holdup in the matter of terms, according ot South Broadway officials and there is little chance for the match. Joe Sarno, Zulu's manager, claims his boy is the most sought after boxer in the business and says any club which doesn't meet his demands won't get a look at Zulu. Broadway Club officials are wondering whether, if this is the case, Zulu can find time to fill an engagement here, if he were given the chance.

TWO MANAGERS AND FOUR MUNICIPAL SOCCER STARS ARE SUSPENDED BY HEADS

Two managers of teams in the Municipal Soccer Association, and four players, were suspended indefinitely during the past week by the officials of the league. This is the greatest number of kickers that have been set down in a single week during the present campaign.

Those suspended were R. E. Golden, manager of the K. F. M. team; Ben Gilbers, manager of the St. Liborius, and players J. Burke, St. Matthews; W. Dillon, St. Teresas; Phil Keagher, St. Teresas and J. Howard of the K. F. M. juniors.

Louis LaBarge of the Herrmanns and L. McSkimming of the Alpen Braus were reinstated.

MISS DARBY SETS MARK IN DETROIT TANK MEET

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 23.—Thelma Darby of Indianapolis, divided honors with Perry McGillivray of the Great Lakes Naval Training Station at the Central A. A. U. cahmpionship swimming meet here tonight. The Indianapolis girl won every event for women on the program, and lowered the women's indoor record in tow of them.

The records were made in the 50-yard free-style, which she covered in 33 1-5 seconds and in the 100-yard back stroke event, which she covered in 1:34 4-5. She captured the 100-yard breast stroke for women in 1:51 flat, and the 10-yard free style in 1:22 2-5.

McGillivray took the 100-yard free style for men in 55 seconds and won the 220-yard free style in 2:27 1-5. In the 150-yard back stroke for men, Siegel of tshe Illionis Athletic Club won from two fellow club mates in 1:58 flat.

STEPS MAY BE TAKEN TO STOP RACING IN ARKANSAS

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 23.—Legal steps to prevent the spring race meet at Hot Springs, scheduled to open next Thursday, for which 25,000 race fans and 1500 horses already are at the Spa are to be taken, it was learned today.

The old story of "fussing" among themselves is said to be behind the move.

Downtown bookmakers at Hot Springs have been refused the privilege of making books and they are said to be behind the legal steps. Several years ago when racing was stopped former Gov. Jeff Davis, prohibited them because track officials refused to reinstate horses owned by his friend, the late R. R. Rice.

PIRATES SIGN SANDERS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 23.—John Ganzel, manager of the Kansas City Club of the American Association, announced tonight that Roy Sanders, pitcher, had signed a contract with the Pittsburg Nationals, completing a deal arranged last season by which Sanders and Fred Molwitz were to be traded to Pittsburg for four players. Molwitz went at once, but Sanders refused to sign with the National League team until said a $500 bonus he alleged was due him on a contract with George Tebeau, the owner of the club.

'MORAN MUST FIGHT BETTER THAN WHEN HE FACED WILLARD'

—FULTON'S MANAGER.

Mike Collins, in Letter to Post-Dispatch, Says His Protege Is in Fine Shape.

DEMPSEY TO BOX BRENNAN

Coast Heavyweight Is Scheduled to Appear in Hard Test Tomorrow Night.

By John E. Wray.

The fires under the heavyweight pugilistic point, which have been allowed to die away to ashes to Champion Jess Willard, will be rekindled tomorrow night in two places—New Orleans and Milwaukee. Conversation Jess has been completely ignored of late, thanks to the genuine interest excited in two live wires of pugilism, young giants who are getting into the ring at every opportunity and are literally fighting down the growing sentiment against heavyweights, caused by the champion's sloth and sidestepping.

These two young Richmonds are Jack Dempsey, the Pacific Coast meteor, and Fred Fulton of Rochester, Minn. Both will take part in matches Monday, Dempsey against "Kayo" Brennan of Mayo, Ireland, and Fulton against the oft-defeated but tough Frank Moran of Pittsburg.

Outstanding in interest is, of course the match at New Orleans, between Moran and Fulton. Willard, in the course of many contradictory statements, has been quoted as saying that he would meet the winner of this bout, or the winner of a Fulton-Dempsey contest. The New Orleans fight is a 20-rounds affair, to a decision, whereas the Brennan-Dempsey mill is to be just a 10-round, no decision event.

"Moran Is Dangerous."—Collins

New Orleans is wrought up over Fulton's match. Both principals have paid especial attention to training for it. The following extract from a letter written to the Post-Dispatch by Fulton's manager, Mike Collins, expresses the Minnesotan's view of the encounter:

"Fulton has really worked hard for this match, doing eight miles on the road each morning. Yesterday he boxed 20 rounds in gymnasium to test his wind for the derby route. He finished as fresh as when he began. Barring accidents he will step into the ring, Monday night, a practically perfect fighting machine.

"We are taking every precaution not to disturb Fulton's health and have even brought our own water here. I have reports on very good authority that Moran has worked harder for this bout than ever before in his life. He is in better shape than he was when he opposed Willard, knowing that he faces the possibility of a longer and much harder battle. All we have to remark concerning his improved condition is that he will have to put up a lot better fight Monday than he did against Willard to win from Fulton.

"Interest here is very keen, the betting being now $ to 5 on Fulton. I know it will be a tough fight and a dangerous one for Fulton, as Moran can hit; but I figure the prestige to be gained by a victory over Moran will be well worth any chance we may be taking.

"We expect to box at Chattanooga, on March 1 and will start an engagement of one week at a St. Louis theater, March 3, matinee.

Very truly, MIKE E. COLLINS.

Moran's Record Is Poor.

Notwithstanding Collins' claim of Moran, as a "dangerous" opponent, there is nothing in his record to prove this. He has fought a few good fighters but has lost to all of them. Third raters like Tony Ross, Jack Geyer and Jim Savage, have beaten him. He has had but 11 fights in five years, and last year took part in but three contests, in two of which he was outpointed. **He is 31 years old, slow, lacks science and is a mark for a clever boxer. He will be outclassed by his opponent, Fulton, in height, weight, reach, speed, skill and possibly punching power.**

Moran's reputation has been built up by good publicity, he himself being a good talker and of engaging personality. He has a tremendous "haymaker" and is game—those factors about cover his merits.

While in St. Louis recently Collins stated that Fulton was confident he could stop Moran in five or six rounds. That is the way this bout figures.

Dempsey Coming Fast.

At Milwaukee the 22-year-old Jack Dempsey will encounter more rugged opposition than any he has faced since he came out of the far west. Since his arrival in the mid-west Dempsey stopped Homer Smith in a punch, knocked out Jim Flynn almost as quickly, and was winning from Carl Morris when the referee allowed him a victory on a foul.

Brennan was a busy fighter last year, he participated in 22 bouts of which nine ended in knockout victories in his favor. No notable names are among those "kayoed," however. Joe Bonds, Joe Cox, Jack Clifford and fighters of that stamp being about the average of those beaten down. Men like Tom Cowler, Bob Devere and other third or fourth raters lasted 10 rounds with him, indicating that Brennan is no world-beater. He's rugged, however and can stand the gaff better than the men Dempsey has previously encountered.

Dempsey must win, if he is to be a real candidate for a match with Fulton.

280 MEN INSURED FOR $2,800,000 AT BARRACKS IN DAY

Total of Policies Taken Out There by Soldiers to Date is $60,000,000.

Two hundred and eighty enlisted men were insured yesterday at the war risk insurance office at Jefferson Barracks. Each took $10,000, making the day's business $2,800,000. Up to date, says Capt. John Andrews, in charge of the office, enlisted men passing through the post have taken a total of $60,000,000 insurance.

The percentage of men taking the insurance is 99.0. The average policy is in excess of $9000. The maximum amount one man is permitted to take is $10,000.

Capt. Andrews made public a statement issued by Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, calling attention to the fact that persons who receive compensation for assistance in collecting benefits under the war insurance law are subject to fine and imprisonment. The statement is prompted by the fact that survivors of men who have died in the service and others entitled to compensation are being circularized by persons who offer assistance in making collections.

The Secretary desires everybody to know that the employment of attorneys or claim agents is unnecessary and that the Treasury Department will save them the needless expense. Blanks for the presentation of claims can be obtained by writing to the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Washington, D. C., and telling the name of the person who has been killed or injured and his relationship to the person making the claim. If any further information or assistance is needed in the filling out of the blanks the Bureau of Risk Insurance will furnish it.

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AIRPLANE MECHANICS' SCHOOL

Thousand Expected at Chicago March 15 and 15,000 by Oct. 1.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23 (By A. P.).—One thousand men, gathered from army mobilization camps, will come to Chicago March 15 for an intensive training of six weeks as chauffeurs and mechanics in airplane work. High schools, colleges and electrical plants will provide the instruction.

When city schools close for the summer still greater numbers will come, probably aggregating 15,000 by Oct. 1.

WOMEN OF WEALTH AMONG SIGNERS OF FOOD PLEDGES

Promise to Ration Household According to Regulations of Hoover Ministry.

Pledge cards, binding the signer to provision her household according to a voluntary food-saving plan, are being circulated among St. Louis matrons in the wealthier residence districts. The first signer was Mrs. Charles Nagel of 44 Westmoreland place, and among the later signers have been Mrs. J. D. Goldman of 9 Hortense place, Mrs. James M. Carpenter Jr. of 4930 Berlin avenue, Mrs. E. P. Hilts of 14 Hortense place, Mrs. Howard Benoist of 4931 Berlin avenue, Mrs. Albert Niedringhaus of 4937 Berlin avenue, Mrs. George T. Burdeau of 16 Hortense place and Mrs. Sam W. Fordyce Jr. of 21 Washington terrace.

The pledge card is patterned after one which has been signed by some of the wealthiest women of New York, to demonstrate that the rich are doing their part in food conservation.

Pledge to Be Signed.

"I promise the United States Food Administration," the pledge reads, "to ration my household according to the regulations set forth in this card." The weekly allowance, for each person, of certain articles of food, is as follows:

Meat, including beef, mutton, lamb, veal and pork, 2½ pounds gross weight; pork not to exceed ½ pound.

Butter, ½ pound.

Wheat flour, for use in cooking, such as gravies and sauces, ½ pound. Remember that macaroni is made from wheat flour.

War bread, containing at least 20 per cent of wheat substitutes, 3 pounds.

Sugar, including table use, cooking, candies and sweetmeats, but not including that used in canning and preserving, ¾ of a pound.

Conditional Articles.

On other articles of food, no definite limit is placed. For cheese, the entry is "as much as desired," while for cream it is "only as much as necessary," and for the rest "as much as necessary." These articles include fish, poultry and game (only roosters are supposed to be eaten), non-wheat cereals, vegetables and fruits.

Children must have a full allowance of milk, the card states. At to cooking and kitchen fats, the prescription is "only as much as necessary," with the reminder, "we are shipping these abroad."

Rabbi to Speak on "Mary Magdalene."

Rabbi Ephraim P. Rosenthal will speak on "Mary Magdalene in the Court of the Most High," at Henneman Hall, 3723 Olive street, tonight at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be under the auspices of the College and Society of Divine Metaphysics.

WOMAN SLAYER IS EXONERATED

East St. Louis Coroner's Jury Verdict Is Justifiable Homicide.

A verdict of justifiable homicide was returned yesterday by a Coroner's jury in East St. Louis, after an inquest into the death of Walter Scheertz, 24 years old, of 204 North Fifth street, East St. Louis, who was shot by Miss Maude O'Dell, 30 years old, in her room at 206 North Fifth street early Friday. He died Friday night.

Miss O'Dell testified that Scheertz entered her room and flourished a revolver, which she wrested from him and fired in self-defense.

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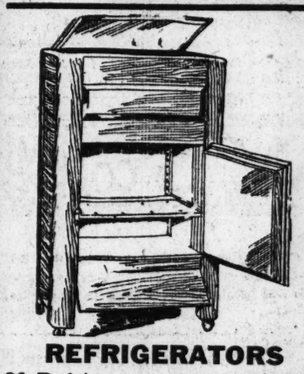
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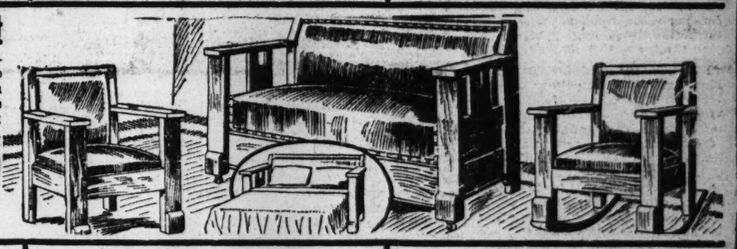


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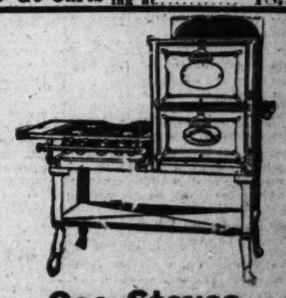
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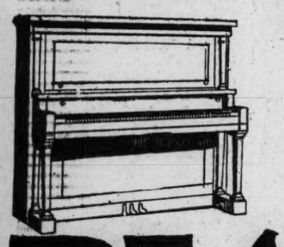
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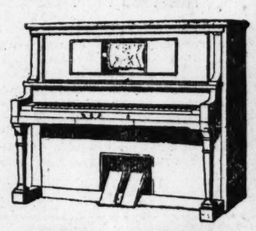
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LARGE INTERESTS SEEK QUARTERS IN SHOPS BUILDING

Proximity of Columns an Obstacle to Its Selection as Home by St. Louis Union Trust Company and Its Companion Bank.

DEPARTMENT STORE PROBABLE LESSEE

Considerable Space in 16-Story Structure to Be Completed in About 18 Months Reported by Builders to Have Been Already Engaged.

By Berry Moore.

Developments during the week disclosed that the Shops Building, in course of construction at the southwest corner of Eighth and Olive streets, is receiving noteworthy attention from large interests in quest of pretentious quarters in the business district of the city.

It became known yesterday that the first three floors and basement of the building have been under consideration as a home for the St. Louis Union Trust Co. and its companion, the St. Louis Union Bank. While the directors of the Trust Co. admitted that the building had been under discussion for this purpose, its construction, they stated, had proceeded too far to be amended to conform with their requirements.

The principal objection to the plans was found, it is said, in the proximity of the columns to one another. These as arranged are only 25 feet apart, thus rendering the building unavailable as a spacious and untrammeled banking room, such as is contemplated by the directors, according to an official of the Trust Co. The building, which otherwise appealed to the bankers, was rejected, it was said, for that reason.

The columns, it is contended, are essential, owing to the great weight of the structure, which will be 16 stories, with basement and sub-basement, and this notwithstanding the fact that it will be of reinforced concrete construction, in which a minimum of steel is used.

The Trust Co., in conjunction with the bank, now occupies an imposing and spacious building at the northwest corner of Fourth and Locust streets. This building, because of the great growth of the twin institutions, is inadequate both as to size and and centrality of location.

Other Home Sites in View.

The company has, it is understood, several other sites in view, with plans for the erection of a home according to its own ideas. Notable among these is the southwest corner of Sixth and Olive streets, where a site of ample dimensions is available, and of which immediate possession can be obtained.

The St. Louis Union Trust Co. was originally established at the northwest corner of Seventh and Olive streets, where it occupied commodious quarters in the Central National Bank building, formerly known as the Union Trust Building.

The Eighth and Olive streets corner, where the Shops building is being erected, and which constitutes one of the strongest and most commanding sites in the business district, has been under consideration for home purposes by other leading banks and trust companies. These included the American Trust Co. and its associate, the Title Guaranty Trust Co., which are erecting a building for their exclusive occupancy on the south side of Locust street, between Seventh and Eighth streets.

This quarter of the business district was established as a financial center 16 or 17 years ago, when the Mercantile Trust Co. staked its claim at the northeast corner of Eighth and Locust streets, erecting there a building which has since been enlarged to more than twice its original size by the erection of an addition at the southeast corner of Eighth and St. Charles streets. This building occupies the entire west half of the block with an arcade, extending from Locust to St. Charles streets, and is accessible to Locust, Eighth and St. Charles streets.

Two weeks ago promoters with plans to consolidate two large retail concerns, obtained an option on the first eight floors of the Shops Building. The negotiations involving these interests collapsed, however, and the option was permitted to lapse.

The proprietors of a local department store, with a large and long-established business, it is understood, are very much attracted by the potentialities of this building for retail purposes. A deal with this concern for this building, it is believed, is not unlikely.

The dominant feature of the Shops building will also be an arcade extending from Olive to Pine streets, the former site of the Moser Hotel building having been purchased for a Pine street entrance to the structure.

Considerable space in the upper stories of the Shops Building has been leased by both local and outside interests, the indications being that the building will be leased from the plans before its completion, which will be within about 18 months, according to the builders.

The building is being erected by the Mortgage Finance Co., of which Edward A. Mallinckrodt, a director of the St. Louis Union Trust Co., is president, and the Jane Realty Co., of which Isaac T. Cook is president, the two companies being affiliated. The Mortgage Finance Co. is erecting the structure that will occupy the Olive street part of the site, which embraced the holdings of Thomas Wright, a strip fronting on Eighth street, purchased from the Carmody estate, and the site of the Burlington, or Holbrook-Blackwelder Real Estate Trust Co., on Olive street. The Jane Realty Co. is erected the building on the site of the former Moser Hotel.

Box Company Leases Structure.

The Martin-Breitt Real Estate Co. reports having closed a lease of the two-story and basement building at the northeast corner of Nineteenth street and Washington avenue, to the Glueck Box Co. The building contains about 60,000 square feet of floor space. The property is owned by the Wrought Iron Range Co.

Coffee Company Leases Building.

Barngrove & Spect report the closing of a lease of the three-story commercial building at 612 South Sixth street, for Mrs. Hattie Watkins to the Empire Coffee Co., which, after extensive alterations and repairs, has put in modern equipment.

Often one insertion of a lost ad in the Post-Dispatch restores the lost article, but several insertions are better. The first may be overlooked. Try a three-time ad.

Apartments All Leased, $60,000 Annual Rental



THE demand for high-class apartments of the unit kind in St Louis is exemplified in the fact that all the suites in the Westmoreland at 5330 Berlin avenue have been leased, although the building was only recently completed. Many of the apartments were leased from the plans, while the building was under construction.

The building comprises 77 apartments of from four to six-room efficiency, including kitchenette and bath and shower. All the suites are grouped and arranged with a view to the health and comfort of the occupants.

The structure rises eight stories in height and occupies a site 150x225 feet. It is absolutely fireproof and of the highest order of construction.

The equipment includes two high-speed electric passenger elevators and one freight elevator, and all the labor-saving devices known to the higher class of buildings of this character.

Attractive features are a roof garden, equipped with swings and other vehicles of pleasure and a cafe which, it is said, rivals the finest in the West End.

The building was promoted by Sam Hamburg Jr. and was erected by the Midas Apartment Realty Co., of which former Mayor Kreismann is president; W. H. Niederluecke, vice president; W. H. Hauschulte, treasurer and Julius C. Muench, secretary.

The building was erected under the supervision of Sam Koplar, vice president of the Sam Koplar Real Estate and Building Co., which was awarded the contract for its construction, and was financed by the Title Guaranty Trust Co.

While the cost o fthe structure has not been disclosed, its valuation may be gauged by the rentals, which, according to the Rosenbaum-Hauschulte Real Estate Co., the agents, aggregate $60,000 annually. The apartments are adjacent to Forest Park and Westmoreland and Parkland places. The lease run for two and three years.

BE MODEST IN REPAIR DEMANDS, REALTY MAN SAYS TO TENANTS

Points to High Cost of Everything, Especially Coal for Heating Apartments.

Frederick A. Dalumer of the Henry Hiemenz Realty Co., reports an increasing demand for flats, houses and apartments. Indications are, he says, that there will be few vacancies in St. Louis at the end of the current year.

Owing to the increase cost of everything tenants, he thinks, should be modest in their demands for repairs, etc., especially those of apartment buildings, which are heated by the owners and at 60 per cent greater cost than a year ago.

JOHN S. HARRIS WILL HEAD FARISH & CO. SALES DEPT.

Former Independent Operator Placed Many Suburban Tracts on Market.

John S. Harris has been engaged by J. H. Farish & Co. for their sales department. Harris is one of the best-known and most resourceful real estate men in St. Louis. He formerly conducted a real estate office on his own behalf, making a specialty of sales of large tracts for subdivision purposes. Hill Crest, North Parkview addition, the Country Club and other high-class additions were placed on the market by him.

INTO ADVERTISING BUILDING

Tenants Begin Moving to New Structure at Seventeenth and Locust.

The Advertising Building, Seventeenth and Locust streets, to which the finishing touches are being given, began the past week to fill with tenants.

Among the lessees first into the new structure are the Fisher-Ruebel-Brown Advertising Co., which has the entire ninth floor. This company vacated quarters in the Drygoodsman and Boatmen's Bank Building. The Rapid Engraving Co., the Garrison-Wagner Printing Co. and the Drygoodsman Publishing Co. are others which moved into the building last week, the four filling the seventh, eighth and ninth floors.

The best wireless message to bring back lost articles is the Post-Dispatch want ad. Phone your want.

ST. LOUIS REALTY FIRM EXTENDS OPERATIONS TO TULSA, OK.

Bush-Burns to Specialize in Homes There, for Five of Which Ground Is Broken.

The Bush-Burns Realty Co., which has for several years been specializing in the building and selling of homes in St. Louis, is expanding its field to Tulsa, Ok. A branch office has been established in that city, to conduct a general real estate and building business.

Robert A. Burns has been spending considerable time in Tulsa for several months, arranging for the establishment o fthis branch, and has purchased a number of choice lots in the best residence section of the city for the erection of high-class homes.

Ground has been broken for the erection of the first group, consisting of five houses to sell at $8000 to $12,000. Burns says there is a good demand for high-class homes selling from $10,000 to $25,000, and his firm expects to build between 25 and 50 such houses this year.

The firm will at the same time continue active operation in St. Louis.

Flat Is Traded for Farm.

The Christian Brinkhop Real Estate Co. reports having traded the two-story single flat at 2242 Osage street, containing six rooms, for a client of the John H. Utthoff Real Estate Co., for a 100-acre farm at Cedar Hill, St. Louis County, owned by August C. Altmeyer and wife. The firm also reports having made loans aggregating $28,500.

FRANK L. DITTMEIER CHAS. F. VOGEL REAL ESTATE CO.

The Frank L. Dittmeier and Chas. F. Vogel Real Estate Co. reports the sale of 3422 Lawton avenue, a 2-story brick residence, for a client to a client of Louis A. Bosso, for $3300.

Also the sale of 160 acres in Washington County, Mo., about 120 acres, in cultivation and contract already let for timber rights, for Gail Y. Towers of New York, to the Reserve Realty Co., for $3500.

Also the sale of 5335 Suburban avenue, a 2-story concrete block building, for Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Collier, to Miss Henrietta T. Newcomb, for $5750.

Also the sale of 3428 Alberta street, a 1½-story residence, for George M. Sells to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tiemian, for home, for $1850.

Also the sale of 5449 Bircher street, a 1-story cottage, for Emil Ecker, to a client, for $2000.

Also the sale of 23.82 acres on Tesson Ferry road, improved with a building arranged as three stores on first floor and 10 living rooms above; also stable and outhouses, for a client to James T. Schulte, for $10,000.

Also the sale of 6712 McCune avenue, a 2½-story residence, lot 40x125 feet, for Miss Frieda Carter to Frank C. and Harriet P. Walters, for $3750.

Also reports having made loans the past week aggregating $22,500.

SUPPLY COMPANY LEASES 17TH AND OLIVE BUILDING

Capital for Erection of Structure Forthcoming, When Tenant Contract Is Signed.

WALL BUILDING AUCTION

Capitalists Expected to Compete for West End Business Property to Be Sold March 7.

That early developments in the real estate sphere will be on a higher scale is perceived in the renewed demand for commercial buildings, warehouses and for apartment houses for investment and revenue purposes.

The feature of the week was a lease acquired by the Southern Railway Supply and Equipment Co. of a seven-story and basement building to be erected at the southwest corner of Seventeenth and Olive streets by the George T. Burdeau Realty Co. The lease is for 10 years and was negotiated by the Martin-Breitt Real Estate Co.

While the plans for the building, of which Preston J. Bradshaw is the architect, had been completed, the capital for its erection was not forthcoming until the lease had been executed. The building will be of reinforced concrete construction and will have a frontage on Olive street of 80 feet by a depth along Seventeenth street of 117 feet. It will be equipped with three elevators, two freight and one passenger. The cost of the structure, including the site, will approximate $200,000.

The Southern Railway Supply and Equipment Co. is composed of Joseph C. Reed, president; Ephram Catlin, secretary and treasurer, and Walter D. Achuff, vice president and sales manager. Its capital was recently increased from $150,000 to $200,000, its original capital being only $65,000. The concern, which was established in a small store on Walnut street, opposite the Southern Hotel, is now located at 1112 North Second street. The growth of its business has been such that it has had to supipement its main quarters with warehouses in various parts of the city.

Third Big Addition to Olive Street.

This is the third lagre supply company to locate on Olive street within the last six months, which, according to the Martin-Breit Real Estate Co., indicates the life imparted to this thoroughfare with the erection of the Post-Dispatch building at Twelfth and Olive streets. The other two concerns are the Continental Supply Co., which has taken extensive quarters in the Post-Dispatch building, and the H. W. Johns-Manville Co., which has acquired a 20-year lease of the seven-story building at the southeast corner of Eleventh and Olive streets. The first-mentioned lease was effected by Cornett & Zeibig, and the second by the Martin-Breit Real Estate Co. in connection with the Cornet & Zeibig Real Estate Co.

Capitalists are expected to be in imposing array at the aution sale of the six-story Wall building, at the northwest corner of Vandeventer avenue and Olive streets, to be held March 7, under the provision of a first deed of trust for $100,000, the interest on which has been delinquent since Nov. 1.

The structure was erected a few years ago by the Hanover Realty and Power Co., in which Charles Wall was the prime mover and which held the site under a 99-year lease. The Meyer Bros. Drug Co., of which Wall was treasurer, financed the project, and as a result was plunged into bankruptcy.

The sale will be made under the auspices of the St. Louis Union Trust Co., as trustee under the deed of trust. The cost of the building, exclusive of the site, was $230,000.

Sale of Apartments Probable.

Negotiations are virtually concluded for the sale of the Jeffersonian Apartments, at the northeast corner of Waterman and DeBaliviere avenues, owned by a corporation of which A. J. Francis is president to an East St. Louis capitalist.

In part payment the East St. Louis capitalist will transfer to Francis a 500-acre farm in the vicinity of Lebanon, Ill., at a valuation of about $100,000, it is understood.

The Jeffersonian Apartments comprise 90 or more suites and vies with the handsomest and most modern structures of its kind. The location is midway between Delmar avenue and the Jefferson Memorial entrance to Forest Park. The building is under the management of the Oreon E. & R. G. Scott Realty Co., which makes a specialty of financing and managing buildings of this type.

The Harlan Court Apartments, at 5455 and at 5463 Delmar avenue, were also erected by a company of which Francis is the head. The University Investment Co., of which Francis is president, is erecting the Brentmoor Apartments in the 5400 block of Delmar avenue, the site of which is adjacent to Washington terrace.

The Harlan Court Apartments have been in negotiation many times during the last six months, at prices ranging from $750,000 to $1,000,000. The annual rental from these apartments aggregates nearly $100,000.

Office Buildings Filling.

According to W. K. Morrison, manager of the Fullerton building, vacancies in the large downtown office structures are being rapidly absorbed by tenants from the Navarre and other buildings, which are to be converted for hotel purposes. He announces having received numerous inquiries as to office accommodations from outside interests, which are contemplating establishing offices or branches in St. Louis. These, he says, include many concerns which closed their offices in other large cities, for various reasons, when the war broke out. In most instances large space is sought, he declares. He is now in correspondence with large coal mining interests, which have expressed a desire to open offices here. The Coal Operators' Association of the Fifth and Ninth District of Illinois occupies quarters on the sixth floor of the structure. The Fifth and Ninth District Coal Bureau, of which P. H. Greenlaw is secretary, also has its offices in this building.

Obviously, Morrison says, these concerns are preparing for after-the-war business, which, it is predicted, will be unprecedented.

Contracts Let for $50,000 Garage



ALBERT G. ECKHARDT has let contracts to the Farrish & Gray Contracting Co. for the erection of a handsome garage building at the southwest corner of Pine street and Leffingwell avenue.

The building, the sale of the site of which was negotiated by the Weisels-Gerhart Real Estate Co., will have a frontage of 105 feet on Pine street by a depth of 132 feet along Leffingwell avenue. It will include a storeroom, 90x35 feet, and a garage 100x105 feet.

The work will be done under the supervision of Victor Klutho, architect. The Hanse Realty Co. represented Eckhardt, who is president of the Yellow Taxicab Co.

The cost of the building is estimated at $50,000.

This announcement is noteworthy as indicating the potentialities of Pine street as a certer for garages.

Confusion and Loss Laid to War Building System

T. C. Young Doubts Correctness of Recent Statement That Government Has Not Asked for Restricted Construction.

"According to a statement recently made before the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, with authority said to have come direct from Washington, the Government has in 'no case requested that construction cease in St. Louis,' but that 'Washington desired the building industries to continue to supply the local requirements and demands,'" said T. C. Young of the firm of Eames & Young, architects.

"This is quite surprising, in view of apparently contrary advice which received wide publicity in the press," he continued. "The impression has been created that banks have been requested to make no building loans except for purposes directly connected with war contracts, and that municipalities had been asked to issue no building permits except for similar purposes. That the latter understanding is widespread and very generally observed is indicated by reports received from Chicago, New Orleans and other widely separated districts.

"As at present every executive department of the Government and every department of the army and navy has its own special building program, with separate official direction, it would be interesting to know from what source the Chamber of Commerce committee derived its information.

Abnormal Conditions Created.

"Collectively, the Government will require for war purposes an enormous amount of permanent and temporary building for various public purposes, besides much that is required for building new factories or enlarging old ones of private ownership. The concentration of most of this work in the East has resulted in a slowing up of the building trade and an undesirable congestion of population, for which no adequate provision could be made. The results in other parts of the country has been an almost complete cessation of building activities, causing much unemployment of labor, or forcing it into unaccustomed channels. This condition might be remedied by a broader distribution of contracts and the adoption of a unified system of building, which would bring into complete, instead of only partial, use the resources of the country in building industries and trades.

"There seems to be no good reason for mixing munition contracts with contracts for construction work, as has been the usual custom.

Avoiding Confusion and Waste.

"Indeed, much confusion of direction could be avoided, besides effecting an enormous saving in time and money, should this separation occur and all governmental building activities united under a single authority. The training and experience necessary to the successful direction of the manufacturing branch do not furnish the requisite qualification for direction of building construction. It would be difficult to find both qualities combined in any individual.

"There seems to be no authority, except that of the President himself, to decide what building or work of construction may or may not be undertaken without conflict with the interests of the Government. Perhaps the President has something of this sort in mind in asking authority of Congress to establish other bureaus as might be required to better co-ordinate all war activities.

"It is difficult to understand where the Government may gain by the practical annihilation of an important industry, particularly when the skilled technical and physical labor so released cannot well be usefully employed in other occupations more directly concerned in making war."

Discussing the proposed zoning system, Young said:

Delay of Planned Improvements.

"In view of the restrictions imposed by the Government on building or works involving construction not connected with war activities, it is improbable that St. Louis will be able in the near future to put into effect many of the public improvements recommended by the City Plan Commission. It might, however, without conflicting with the interests of the Government, make an effort to establish the zoning system in St. Louis. The unrestricted right of use in private property is now very generally condemned as a bar to progress and the evil results have been pointed out, the best illustration being provided in the present condition of St. Louis, with more than one-quarter of its territory abandoned as useless. If this is true, it would indicate a loss in real estate value that undoubtedly would greatly exceed the cost of the most extravagant improvements likely to be proposed.

"It was quite startling, however, to learn that the proposed zoning system would in no way affect the present occupation of land. It would seem as though this would merely be to continue the present condition without showing how it might be converted to better use. It would, for instance, be difficult to assign certain 'blighted districts' for industrial use unless there are more new industries to fill the territory and unless the facilities for transportation, etc., are provided to make the property desirable for this purpose. The architects are generally agreed that to restrict the hight of buildings and their use is as necessary as to regulate the methods of construction. The proper application of the zoning system would tend to improve the appearance of the city and to stabilize the value of real estate investments."

EXHIBIT BUILDING PROVED ITS VALUE BY AUTO SHOW

General Manager Phelps Says Judgment of Directors of Enterprise Is Vindicated.

M. F. W. C. GIVEN QUARTERS

State Organization Tendered Use of Space for Offices and Conventions.

"Importance as a St. Louis asset has been demonstrated by the Exhibit Building, according to popular verdict voiced to me during the Auto Show this week," said George H. Phelps, general manager of the enterprise, yesterday. "With that verdict as reinforcement of the company's judgment, the original plans for the future of the permanent exposition, or buyers' and sellers' club, will not only be carried forward in detail with the utmost rapidity, but we shall promptly supplement them whenever we are convinced that the institution's usefulness to the community will be enhanced thereby."

The first suggestion, other than that by the musical people of the city for a recital hall equipped with an adequate pipe organ, announcement of which was made last week, came from Charles Hatfield, secretary and general manager of the Convention and Publicity Bureau. This was that the Federation of Women's Clubs of Missouri be provided with headquarters in the building without charge to the organization. The proposal was at once adopted and the officials of the organization, which is a body composed of nearly 50 clubs, notified that accommodations were at their disposal at once, with assurance that later, when the task of converting the entire building to its new use had been completed, better provision would be made for them.

Women's Work Appreciated.

"What we are here to accomplish is all that may be found to be practicable for the general welfare and progress of St. Louis," Phelps said, "and in our plans the women are of equal importance with the men, even if the latter do constitute the business element and the Exhibit Building is a business enterprse. We hold it to be a community institution.

"One or two more big exhibitions are on our schedule for accommodation, extending over two or three weeks. While these are being taken care of we will push the work of conversion of the building early and late, so that when they are out of the way we will be ready to inaugurate the buyers' and sellers' club idea with every detail worked out and in almost perfect operation.

"It would hardly be possible for the average man or woman to realize just what the institution means for St. Louis. Even we who are intimately acquainted with its general scope and purpose expect to be agreeably surprised at developments in this direction. Under the one roof there will be assembled the best of what has been produced in the shop, the laboratory, the soil, or in any quarter where human knowledge may add to the world's store of commodities, also the creations of art and of science, no matter whence they emanate. While we are not announcing it as an international enterprise, foreign exhibitors will be welcomed, because if the old world has anything which the new one has not but ought to have, here will be a center for its display.

St. Louis Has First Call.

"St. Louis, of course, has the first call on space and we hope that local exhibits will demand a large proportion of the more than 200,000 square feet available for display. We know that demands here are going to be extensive, but the greater they are the more distinctive the exposition as a St. Louis enterprise, and this is the paramount desire of the company. It will mean vastly enlarged trade for the city, and to this will be added national fame as a convention center, for we are going to give close attention to that section of our program as one of the great means of drawing people to St. Louis."

REALTY MAN THRIVES IN CAMP

Sergeant Walter Hahn Home on Furlough From Doniphan.

Sergt Walter Hahn, stationed at Camp Doniphan, and formerly manager of the Insurance Department of the Hemmelmann-Speckler Real Estate Co., is in St. Louis on furlough. Obviously he is thriving under the tutelage of Uncle Sam, he having gained 20 pounds in weight since he joined the colors.

He is a son of Fred Hahn, cashier of the Lafayette-South Side Bank.

AGENTS' RENT LISTS

RENT LIST

Mississippi Valley Trust Co.

FOURTH and PINE

APARTMENTS.

4006A McPherson, 8 rooms, bath, sleeping porch, steam heat and janitor service $75 00
4401 McPherson, 7 rms., 2 baths, steam, heat, janitor service, etc. 75 00
4906 McPherson, 8 rooms, bath, gas range, janitor 75 00
411 N. Newstead, 5d floor, 8 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor service 70 00
4920 McPherson, 8 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor service, etc. 70 00
4345 Lindell, 8 rms., bath, steam heat, janitor service furnished 60 00
805 Union, 6 rooms, reception hall, sleeping porch, hot-water heat, janitor service 60 00
6015 Maple, 5 rooms, bath, etc. 45 00
4383 W. Belle pl., 4 rooms, bath, steam heat 25 00

DWELLINGS

3737 Westminster pl., 9 rms., bath, hot-water heat, hardwood floors, etc. 90 00
2910 Locust, 11 rooms, bath, fur. 75 00
5701 Waterman, 12 rooms, 2 baths, hot-water heat 70 00
3609 Delmar, 18 rooms, 3 baths, steam heat 150 00
5541 Cates, 10 rooms, bath, fur. 70 00
205 Elm, Webster Groves, 9 rooms, bath, steam heat, etc. 65 00
4905 Flora pl., 9 rooms, hot-water heat, comb. fixtures, garage 65 00
4207 Delmar, 13 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, etc. 65 00
6821 Cates, 7-room bungalow, bath, hot-water heat, hardwood floors, etc. 60 00
6404 Cates, 7-room bungalow, hot-water heat, hardwood floors, etc. 60 00
3313 Washington, 6 rooms, bath, hot-water heat, comb. fixtures, garage 55 00
4911 Fountain, 9 rooms, bath, fur. 50 00
3653 Cates, 11 rooms, bath, furnace, reception hall 50 00
4907 Fountain, 9 rooms, bath, fur. etc. 50 00
5120 Washington, 10 rooms, 2 baths 45 00
5144 Cates, 9 rooms, bath, furnace 42 50
4540 Duncan, 7 rooms, bath, reception hall, furnace, hardwood floors, furnished, $60.00; unfurnished 40 00
5558 N. Vine, 10 rooms, bath, fur., etc. 40 00
4295 Olive, 9 rooms, bath, fur. 40 00
1305 Washington, 13 rooms, bath 40 00
4205 Maryland, 9 rooms, bath, fur., comb. fixtures, hardwood floors, screens, etc. 40 00
2920 Locust, 11 rooms, bath, fur. 35 00
1018 Chouteau, 10 rooms, bath, gas 35 00
3696 Finney, 8 rooms, bath, fur. 35 00
2550 S. Broadway, 14 rooms 35 00
5548 Vernon, 8 rooms, bath, fur. 35 00
654 S. Broadway, 14 rooms 35 00
652 S. Broadway, 14 rooms 35 00
5508 Morgan, 11 rooms, bath, furnace 95 00
1007 N. Garrison, 10 rooms, bath, fur. 35 00
4206 Page, 8 rooms, bath, fur., comb. fixtures 30 00
2718 Olive, 10 rooms, bath 30 00
2567 Olive, 10 rooms, bath 30 00
14 S. Newstead, 7 rooms, bath, fur. 27 50
1221 N. Whittier, 8 rooms, bath, fur. 25 00
4257 S. Kingshighway, 8 rooms, 2 toilets 25 00
2216 Bell, 6 rooms, bath, fur. 22 50
1850 California, 6 rooms, bath 22 50
2109 Gerver, 8 rooms, bath, etc. 20 00
912 N. Fourteenth, 8 rooms 20 00
Harleu Heights, 5 rooms, bath, elec. lights, bath, with 3 acres 20 00
723 S. Fourth, 12 rooms 20 00
2914 Hickory, 6 rooms, toilet 20 00
2314 Lucas, 8 rooms, bath 20 00
2418 Belleglade, 5 rooms 15 00
1417 Chambers, 5 rooms 12 00
4116 Hamburger, 7 rooms 12 00
4166 Genevieve, 6 rooms, bath 10 00
4762 Cleveland, 6 rooms 10 00
4225 N. Main, 3 rooms 9 00

FLATS

3231A Wells, 6 rooms, bath, hot-water heat 35 00
3732A Olive, 7 rooms, bath, etc. 27 50
4014A McPherson, 6 rooms, bath, flat 27 50
1307A Washington, 9 rooms, bath 25 00
3726A Olive, 7 rooms, bath, etc. 25 00
4578A Hodiamont, 8 rooms 25 00
4014A Olive, 5 rooms, bath 25 00
3071 Russell av., 4 rooms, bath, hot-water heat 25 00
3752 Olive, 6 rooms, bath 22 50
3749 Olive, 6 rooms, bath, gas fix. 22 50
4511A W. Easton, 4 rooms, bath 20 00
2585A Olive, 7 rooms, bath 20 00
829 Chestnut, 6 rooms 20 00
2759 Gever, 4 rooms, bath 17 50
1418A Dolman, 4 rooms, bath 16 00
2731 Walton, 4 rooms, bath 16 00
723 Walton, 4 rooms, bath 16 00
3501A Market, 5 rooms, bath 15 00
3501B Market, 5 rooms, bath 14 00
2839 S. Jefferson, 3 rooms 12 00
3425 Market, 3 rooms 12 00
3502 Market, 3 rooms 12 00
870A Hodiamont, 3 rooms 11 00
3607A Cass, 3 rooms 11 00
3720A Clark, 3 rooms, gas $11 00
324 N. Eighteenth, 3 rooms 10 00
2224 Cass av., 3 rooms 10 00
6900A Magnolia, 3 rooms 10 00
3732 Garfield, 3 rooms 9 00
3845B Market, 3 rooms, bath 11 00
1857A S. Market, 3 rooms, bath 10 00
1857B S. Market, 3 rooms 10 00
164 S. Fourth, 3 rooms 10 00
1857C S. Market, 3 rooms 9 50
2125 Biddle, 3 rooms 9 00
1046 S. Fourth, 3 rooms 9 00
2068A Hoditeau, 3 rooms, gas 9 00
5601A St. George, 3 rooms 9 00
801 Hickory (rear) 1 room 2 50
3248 S. Compton, 3 rooms 8 00
5601 S. Road, 4 rooms 8 00
1414 St. Ange, 3 rooms 8 00
1117 S. Fourth, 3 rooms 8 00
1116A St. Ange, 3 rooms 7 00
1935 Ohio, 3 rooms, gas 7 00
1925A Ohio, 3 rooms 7 00
109 S. Fourth, 4 rooms 6 00
916A Stratton, 3 rooms 6 00
3752 Manchester, 2 rooms 6 00
120 St. George (rear), 3 rooms 6 00
129 S. Compton, basement rooms 6 00
1124 S. Fourth, 3 rooms 6 00
801B Hickory, 3 rooms 6 00
5601 S. Road, 2 rooms 5 00
3852A Manchester, 4 rooms 7 00
5621 Manchester, 2 rooms 4 00
3815 Franklin, 2 rooms 4 00

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4370 W. Belle, 5 rooms, bath 30 00
1311A Lucas, store 15 00
2501A St. Charles, 4 rms., toilet 12 00
2208A Washington, 4 rms. 10 00
2324 Papin, 4 rms., house 10 00
2324 Franklin, 5 rooms 10 00
1920 St. George (rear), 3 rooms 8 00
2528 Papin, 3 rooms 8 00
717 S. Broadway, 3 rooms 10 00
2502 Charles, 4 rms., toilet 9 00
2623B Walnut, 4 rooms 4 50

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226 N. Fourth, 21x70 .....
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710 Locust, 16x70 .....
114-16 S. Third, 3 floors, 60x100
1211 Franklin, 18x45 .....
515 Franklin, 3-story building, 30x125
S. Second, building, 4 stories and basement, 25x100, electric elevator
706 Locust, store, 18x70 .....
2502 N. Easton, store, garage 20x75 .....
1511 W. Easton, building, 60x95 ..... 195 00
707-09 N. Fourth, 28x138 ..... 150 00
1724 Washington, store, 20x60, with 6 rooms and bath in rear .....
1115 Clark, 3-story building, 25x85, suitable for manufacturing 100 00
304-06 N. Main, building, 50x100 ..... 150 00
809 Locust, 15x100 .....
402 N. Main, building .....
601 S. Second, and 10 rooms above 65 00
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1111 Olive, 20x70 ..... 90 00
306 N. Second, building .....
884-86 Hodiamont, feed store, lofts and 8 rooms .....
4008 N. Main, 3 floors, 20x80 ..... 50 00
1121 Pine, store 22x55 ..... 45 00
Market, and 15 rooms above 60 00
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11 Market, building, 3 floors, 20x70 ..... 40 00
Shoe and 3 rooms .....
404 S. Main, 3 floors, 20x90

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GARRISON, 1428 N.—2 rooms and bath; $14. ELMORE CAVE & CO., 309 N. 7th st.

HOLMAN, 1416—4 nice, large rooms; granitoid laundry; $14.

CHAS. L. WEBER, 811 Chestnut st.

JEFFERSON, 1210 N.—2 rooms, sink, free phone, $6. Agent there.

NINETEENTH, 1116 N.—3 rooms, water, gas, $8; 1 month free rent. (c10)

OLIVE, 2616—First floor, 3 rooms; $10. Inquire 2610 Olive. (c)

OLIVE, 3514A—Third floor, 3 rooms, with kitchen, sink, bath, gas and electricity; newly decorated; rent only $12.

R. C. GREER, 317 Fullerton Bldg.

PAPIN, 1925—5 nice rooms; separate front and rear yards for garden; rent $12.50.

F. H. INGALLS, 416 N. 7th st., 2d fl.

SHERIDAN, 3107—Upper flat, 4 rooms, bath, $14; key next door. (7)

THOMAS, 3109—5 rooms, bath, gas; in good order; rent $15.

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3 ROOMS, BATH, $13.50

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914 N. Compton; 4 rooms and bath; first floor; $14.

3121 Clifton pl.; 4 rooms, first floor; $12.50.

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2925 Olive; 2 rooms; second floor, $7; 5 rooms, third floor, $13; fine condition.

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ARCO, 4466—4 rooms, 2d floor; bath, gas and fixtures; large, light rooms; in good condition; all conveniences; rent $16.

ARKANSAS, 2905—5 rooms, bath and furnace; rent $25. Call Victor 3133J.

ARSENAL, 2857—First floor, 3 rooms, water, gas; $7.50; open.

ARSENAL, 4422A—5 rooms and bath; no electricity.

ARSENAL, 2912—3 rooms, water, gas, electric light, 2d floor, newly decorated, $9.

ARSENAL, 2914—4 rooms, water, gas, electric light, 1st floor, good condition, $11.

ARSENAL, 4508A—3 large rooms, bath; sun parlor; screened porch; furnace; hardwood throughout; strictly modern. (c)

ARSENAL, 3820A—Strictly modern 6 rooms and bath; opposite Tower Grove Park. Victor 2573R. (c)

ARSENAL, 3076A—Six large, light rooms, tile bath, screens, shades, furnace, fixtures, $27. Phone Sidney 1274R. (c7)

BAMBERGER, 2041—6-room flat; modern conveniences; Murphy in-a-door bed.

BLAINE, 4123A—Modern flat, 3 rooms, bath; rent $14. Victor 1855R.

BLAINE, 4167—3 rooms; bath, gas; nice place; $12.50; electric, $13; garage. (c)

BLAINE, 3837A—Second floor, 3 large, light rooms, tile bath, electric, separate laundry; rent $18.50. (c)

BOTANICAL, 4165—Modern 4 rooms and hall room; bath, hot-water heat. (c)

BOTANICAL, 4049A—6 rooms, bath, furnace, electric light; keys 1st floor; rent $25. HEMMELMANN-SPACKLER R. E. CO., 622 Chestnut st.

CALIFORNIA, 3451A—Flat, 3 rooms and bath; with or without garage; electric.

CALIFORNIA, 2137-39—6 rooms and bath; 2d floor; $20. (c)

HILDENBRANDT & NOBLE R. E. CO., 615 Chestnut st.

CAROLINE, 2831—Four rooms and bath; electric lights. (c)

CASTLEMAN, 4116A—5 rooms, electric, tile bath, furnace; separate entrance; $21. (c99)

CASTLEMAN, 4056A—6 rooms, furnace, bath, electric fixtures, newly decorated; only $22. March 15 during open house.

ALBERT F. JACOBS, Agt., Olivia Bldg.

CLARA, 1372A—5 rooms, bath, furnace, electric; only $20. Main 1190, Central 6849. (c2)

CLEVELAND, 3857—Rent $4. Apply 1st floor.

CLEVELAND, 3929—Five rooms, bath, steam heat, electric; $25.

CLEVELAND, 4282A—5-room modern flat; open; $25. (c2)

CLEVELAND, 4218A—6 rooms, electric, all conveniences.

CLEVELAND, 4139A—Five nice rooms, first-class order; $25.50; liberal inducements.

OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut st.

CLEVELAND, 3942—4 rooms, newly decorated; finest heat; shades, combination fixtures; $19.

CLEVELAND, 3958A—5 rooms; bath, furnace, combination fixtures; rent $22.50; open.

CLEVELAND, 4117A—7 rooms, bath and furnace; $27.50.

JOST-MILLER R. E. CO., 105 N. 9th st.

COLEMAN, 2514—5 rooms, newly decorated, gas, $16; back porch; open.

COMPTON, 1618A S.—7 large, light rooms, bath, furnace, electric fixtures; rent $25.

A. G. BLANKE R. E. CO., 711 Chestnut st.

DARLING, 4630A—5-room brick flat; bath, laundry; $13; Cherokee car south.

DE TONTY, 4179A—Corner 3 rooms, kitchenette, steam heat, screened porches, awnings, electricity; will decorate.

DE TONTY, 4235A—Four rooms, kitchenette and sun parlor; modern; opposite Bryan Mullanphy School; concessions. Grand 3185R.

DILLON, 1312A—Four large rooms; gas, bath; being put in fine order; $11; 1314B, 3 rooms, gas, water, use of bath; $7.

DOLMAN, 1462—4 rooms, first floor, $10. 1430 Dolman st., 3 rooms, 3d floor, and attic room; $9.

KEANE & FRANKE, 1008 Chestnut st.

EADS, 2712—Three rooms, water, etc.; open; reasonable. Central 2427.

EILER, 1025—Four rooms, bath, furnace; electric; $20.

DOERFLINGER REALTY CO.

FLAD, 3843—Upper flat; 6 rooms and bath; combination fixtures; furnace; separate laundry. (c)

FLAT—For sale; double; 911-913 Lynch; 4 families; nice brick stable; bargain. Owner 3900 Louisiana. (c)

FLAT—For rent; new; decorated to suit; large rooms, steam heat, hardwood floors. Grand 1496R.

FASSEN, 416—3 rooms, bath, first floor. Victor 2178R.

FOLSOM, 3851—3 rooms, bath, screens, fixtures, shades, all conveniences. (c)

FOLSOM, 3922 (near Grand)—9 rooms, bath, stove, shades, steam plant; $35; key 3620.

FOLSOM, 3676A—Four rooms, bath, $17. KLOEN-RITLE, 109 N. Seventh st.

GEYER, 2620—3 rooms; toilet, gas range, shades; $10; 4 rooms, $12.

GIBSON, 4400A—5 rooms, bath, choice flat; perfect condition; $23; garage if desired. MORRIS AACH R. CO., 1003 Chestnut st.

GILES, 3462—Upper flat, 4 rooms and bath; hot water heat, separate laundry; reasonable.

GRAND, 4504 S.—3 rooms, bath; modern; near Cleveland High and Necaho School. (c)

GRAND, 4233 S.—New, 5-room flat, hardwood floors, garage. Victor 3390L. Sidney 2580R. (c)

GRATTAN, 1418A—4 rooms, water, $11. (c2)

GRAVOIS, 4007—4 rooms, bath, furnace, electricity screens, complete, $18.

WM. RODIEK & CO., 2015 McNair av.

GRAVOIS, 2389—3-room flat; with bath and electric lights; newly painted and decorated.

HARTFORD, 3620A—Six rooms, bath, furnace, garage; will make laundry granitoid.

HICKORY, 1917A and 1919—Beautiful flats, 4 rooms and bath; only $17. Keys at 1812A Hickory.

HICKORY, 2222—Four rooms and bath; all modern improvements, $15; open for inspection. (c)

HUMPHREY, 4317A—Flat.

HUMPHREY, 3816—Flat, 5 and 6 rooms; modern; reasonable.

HUMPHREY, 3906—3 large, 1 small room; tile bath; furnace; screens; new.

HUREY, 3442A—A modern 6-room flat, newly decorated.

HUMPHREY, 4146—3 rooms, tile bath, dressing closet, china closet; steam heat; $20.

IDAHO, 6031—Three rooms, bath, gas; cheap to party who will care for girl 7 during day absence.

JEFFERSON, 1607A-1611A S.—4 rooms and bath, $14 and $16. (c8)

JUNIATA, 4235—Four rooms, bath, furnace, breakfast, sleeping porch, hardwood floors.

LAFAYETTE, 3912A—Five rooms, sun parlor, steam heat, strictly modern.

LITTE, 3142—5-room flat; all conveniences; good condition. (c2)

LAFAYETTE, 1510A—Six rooms, bathroom, water, gas, etc.; reasonable. (c)

LAFAYETTE, 4169A—Four elegant rooms, tile bath, hardwood floors, furnace, shades; newly decorated; open; rent $25.

A. G. BLANKE R. E. CO., 711 Chestnut st.

LA SALLE, 2326—3 rooms, first floor, $8; 3 rooms, rear, $7.

LEE, 4262—5 rooms, big bargain; cash or terms. Forest 5866. (c)

LIERMAN, 3654—Three rooms and bath and hall room.

LOUISIANA, 2214—6 rooms, bath, furnace; newly painted. (c)

LOUISVILLE, 1104—Flat, 3 rooms, kitchenette, tile bath, sleeping porch and furnace. Phone owner, Cabany 820.

LYNCH, 2005—6 rooms and bath; elegant conveniences. (c99)

McKEAN, 3188A—6-room flat; all modern conveniences; garage; near Grand av.

McNAIR, 2706-12A—Three rooms each; newly decorated; $20 and $18. Inquire 2711.

MORRIS, 4137—5 rooms; steam heated; March 1; $22; garage, $27. (c)

McCAUSLAND, 2220—Three rooms and bath.

MILENTZ, 4810—Flat; reasonable; 4 rooms, bath, furnace, electric.

MINNESOTA, 3717A—Flat, modern, 3 large rooms, alcove, hall room and bath; furnace, fixtures, shades, screens and awnings; with garage. Cabany 2200. Delmar 1811R.

MISSOURI, 2262A—6 large rooms, enameled sink, $20. (c2)

MISSOURI, 3840A—Three rooms, bath, electric; $15.

MISSOURI, 3848A—Three rooms, bath, electric; $15.50.

MISSOURI, 3858A—Three rooms, bath, electric; $15.50.

NASHVILLE, 5906—3-room frame cottage, $10; will repair.

NEBRASKA, 3546—3 rooms; electric lights; 3d floor; $8.

NEBRASKA, 2623A—5 rooms, bath; electric; arranged for two families; $13. Victor 2982J.

NEBRASKA, 2641—Lower 4 rooms, bath, furnace, gas fixtures, range, screens, shades; adults; $18; owner will board. (c)

NINTH, 1406 S.—Two rooms, bath, gas, etc.; open; reasonable. Central 2427.

ODELL, 5423A—3 rooms, gas, water, shades, sink, yard, garden; $10.50; open.

OHIO, 3949—Three bright rooms; slate sink; keys 3953A Ohio.

OHIO, 3936—4 rooms, bath, combination fixtures, screens, furnace. Victor 3290R.

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STORE—Good location, inquire drug store across street, Euclid and St. Louis.

STORE—5-room flat; all conveniences; good location for drug store. Whittier and St. Louis

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4102A Florissant av., 2 rooms; heat and janitor service; open; reasonable.

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5010 N. Broadway; fine store; never before vacant; good business location.

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4406 Greer, newly remodeled store, gas, electric, water. BARNGROVE & SPECHT, 112 N. 7th st.

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DELMAR BL., 4172—Large fireproof garage for rent; cement floor; rent $5.

GARAGE—2624 Texas av.

GARAGE—5927 Minerva av.

GARAGE—3912 Shenandoah, new steel, for 1 automobile; agent there; $4.

GARAGE—For rent, 4717 McMillan. Delmar 4013J.

GARAGE—Large, electric light and water. Delmar 4713J. 5064 Von Versen. (c)

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GARAGE—3912 Westminster; large; reasonable.

GARAGE—3501 Cates av., corner Belt; light garage, with water.

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GARAGE—3444 Lawton; rooms, $10.
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GARAGE—1226 N. 14th, rear; new, brick; electric, water; hold four trucks; $10.

GARAGE—For rent; modern; large; low rent. 1330 Whittier. (c)

GARAGES—For rent; two splendid; $5 per month. Foster, 5045 Von Versen. Forest 5414M.

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AUTO Wtd.—For exchange, lots in Washington Park, Ill., for auto. Box B-331, P.-D.

FARM—For exchange, 80 acres level Illinois farm; want good flat. Box K-56, Post-Dis.

FARM—For exchange, 80 acres, well improved. Box E-135, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—Single; exchange residence, west; large lot. Box B-185, Post-Dis.

RESIDENCE Wtd.—Exchange single flat, West End. Box B-416, Post-Dispatch.

TO EXCHANGE—Double 3-room flat, south; want smaller property. Box B-219, P.-D.

MONEY TO LOAN—$6000, on first deeds of trust; will divide. Box L-312, Post-Dis.(c)

APARTMENT Wtd.—Scattered properties for income apartment. Box L-310, P.-D. (c)

FARM Wtd.—Good; exchange clear 9-room residence. Box H-221, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE Wtd.—West End; exchange single 5 and 6 room flat. Box B-276, Post-Dis.

COTTAGE Wtd.—Exchange modern single 3-room flat, south. Box B-277, Post-Dis.

FLAT Wtd.—South; exchange; 6-room residence, Kingsland court. Box B-222, P.-D.

FLAT Wtd.—Exchange clear vacant; want single or double flat. Box B-375, P.-D.

DOUBLE FLAT—To exchange, 4 and 4 rooms, sun parlors; want other property. Box B-182, Post-Dispatch.

RESIDENCE Wtd.—South; exchange 4-room cottage, south. Box B-180, Post-Dis.

FLATS—New, South Side; take old small property, clear, part pay. Box B-194, P.-D.

WILL trade vacant for equity in flats; give full particulars. Box L-65, Post-Dis.

EXCHANGE—Four lots, good, clear; lots in Rolla, Mo. Box W-417, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE Wtd.—Small, in exchange for 3-room flat. Box L-178, P.-D. (c)

FLAT Wtd.—Exchange 4-room cottage; in O'Fallon Park district. Box B-419, P.-D.

COTTAGE Wtd.—Or vacant; for single flat, 4 and 5 rooms. Box B-179, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—North Side, for 4-room cottage and tenement house.
REITZ, 620 Mermod-Jaccard Bldg.

FARM Wtd.—To exchange for farm, 5-room frame house; lot 60x140; bath and gas; 6748 Raymond.

FLAT Wtd.—Will exchange my 8-room residence, on a 50-foot lot, for flat, cost not over $5000; no agents. Box P-154, P.-D. (c)

FOR EXCHANGE—1 double flat, near Park and Compton, in exchange for hardware store or dry goods. Box T-148, Post-Dis.(c)

AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—To exchange, choice 50-foot lot, worth $500, free and clear, for good automobile. Cabany 1875.

AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—Will trade 160 acres farm; 3 miles from Louisiana, Mo., for automobile. Box B-170, Post-Dispatch.

FARM Wtd.—Have $600 stock in old established, well-rated St. Louis concern; trade for clear farm or land. Box B-215, P.-D.

FLAT Wtd.—Will exchange my dwelling of 9 rooms; furnace; lot 50x250; for a flat. Box L-191, Post-Dispatch. (c)

COTTAGE Wtd.—In exchange for modern 7-room brick house; small cottage preferred; will consider flat. Box L-306, Post-Dis. (c)

CITY PROPERTY Wtd.—Will exchange my $3000 equity in Webster 6-room residence, near car line. Box L-38, P.-D.

FLATS Wtd.—Residence to exchange; double 9-room; rent $900; will trade up to $4500 for flats or smaller house. Box L-311, P.-D.

HOUSE—For sale, or exchange for flat; best 7-room house in Forest Park Highlands; give good deal. Box L-315, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FLAT—To trade or sell, 4136 Virginia, 5 rooms each; too large present owner; want 3 and 3 flat.

PROPERTY Wtd.—Exchange rooming house for store and rooms above or grocery. 3110 Bell av.

FOR EXCHANGE—Flat; 3720 Wisconsin; fine, new, strictly modern. Inquire 5605 S. Grand av.

COTTAGE—Exchange for small valley farm; 3 acres. Owner, 4036 Camelia av., St. Louis Mo.

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PROPERTY Wtd.—Exchange fine touring car, electric starter and lights, for small property. 2916A Meramec st.

CITY PROPERTY Wtd.—Exchange farm, 140 acres, good improvements. Box B-190, Post-Dispatch.

INCOME PROPERTY Wtd.—Exchange 800 acres Arkansas land, clear; will assume. Box B-184, Post-Dispatch.

FARM Wtd.—Exchange 5-room bungalow, Webster Groves; have farm near station. Box B-187, Post-Dispatch.

VACANT—To exchange; 50 feet, University; clear; want income; assume. Box B-217, Post-Dispatch.

VACANT—To exchange; 100 feet, clear; want good income; assume. Box B-208, Post-Dispatch.

VACANT Wtd.—To exchange, 5-room brick, hot-water heat, and bath, in Walnut Park, for vacant. Box T-86, Post-Dispatch.

REAL ESTATE Wtd.—For exchange, 5 acres land for city property. Inquire 5540 Easton av.

RESIDENCE—To exchange; 8 rooms, steam heat; St. Mark's parish; sacrifice or trade for cottage. Box B-185, Post-Dis.

WILL trade cottage, 4 rooms, bath; all near Union, south Natural Bridge. Box T-97, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE Wtd.—Or single flat; exchange residence, 6 rooms, steam heat. Box B-192, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—To exchange store and flat above; 20x8 S. 12th st; $3500; clear; want double flat, south; assume. Box B-193, Post-Dis.

COTTAGE Wtd.—South; exchange beautiful single 4 and 6 room cottage for flat, South Side. Box B-222, Post-Dispatch.

BUNGALOW Wtd.—To exchange business property for bungalow or good farm. Box T-79, Post-Dispatch.

CITY PROPERTY Wtd.—In exchange for 20-acre fruit farm, nice home. Kamp, 4007 St. Ferdinand av.

FLAT Wtd.—To exchange, bungalow, Webster, modern; small loan; want flat; assume. Box B-274, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE Wtd.—To exchange, double flats; strictly clear, part pay; want cottage. Box B-207, Post-Dispatch.

FLATS Wtd.—Bungalow in exchange; 6 rooms, 2 baths, 1½-story cottage, south; 4400 LaSalle. Victor 2440?. (c)

HOUSE—For sale or exchange; good business corner for smaller house. Call 1425 Webster.

FARM Wtd.—Exchange apartment; income $2600 yearly; will trade for good farm in Texas or California. Box B-367, Post-Dis.

RESIDENCE Wtd.—To exchange, cottage, 28xx N. Union; want cottage in same neighborhood. Box B-174, Post-Dispatch.

RESIDENCE Wtd.—Exchange modern double flat, South Side; want residence or single flat. Box B-148, P.-D.

FLAT Wtd.—Exchange residence, South Side; want single or double flats. Box B-147, Post-Dispatch.

RESIDENCE—Equity of 10-room residence, furnished or unfurnished, for smaller place or business. Lindell 4446W, 4041 West Pine.

BUNGALOW Wtd.—North Side, in exchange for modern 6-room; double flat, give full particulars. Box L-265, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—Vacant to exchange, clear, for flats not to be heavily incumbered. Box 257, Post-Dispatch.

PROPERTY Wtd.—Exchange new bungalow, 5473 Beacon, for property neighborhood of Carondelet and California.

VACANT Wtd.—$2400 equity in store, 5-room flat, 4800 block on Easton; exchange for vacant property. Box B-366, Post-Dis.

FLAT Wtd.—Or bungalow, for 150-acre farm, 15 miles out; good trade. Box L-70, Post-Dispatch.

COUNTY PROPERTY Wtd.—Exchange city property; want county, near car line. Box B-406, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE Wtd.—55xx Wells; 5 and 5 room flat; want small house with large grounds.
JOHN H. ABBOTT, 15 N. Seventh st.

TENEMENT Wtd.—4101 Castleman; 7-room modern house; garage; want tenement or flats. JOHN H. ABBOTT, 15 N. 7th st.

COTTAGE Wtd.—6219 Ridge; 5-room flat; want vacant or cottage. JOHN H. ABBOTT, 15 N. 7th.

FARM Wtd.—Sell or exchange for good farm equity, household goods and implements; store double flat store building. Box B-333, Post-Dispatch.

PROPERTY Wtd.—Exchange flats, 3123 Maury, new double, 4 rooms, sleeping porches; rent $1276; want smaller property.
JOHN H. ABBOTT, 15 N. Seventh st.

EXCHANGE—Business property, West End, newly painted; rents $53; d. t. $1600; want grocery, other merchandise for equity; will put in some cash. Box B-398, Post-Dis.

ACREAGE Wtd.—Exchange 640 acres, improved land, near Colorado Springs, Colo.; health resort, best stock raising land in state; want acreage near St. Louis. 3504 Vista.

RESIDENCE—Exchange Wtd., to trade 160 acres of land for merchandise stock, not over $4000; will pay difference. J. M. Barker, Bradley, Ark.

FARM Wtd.—Want small farm or cottage for 7-passenger automobile; first-class condition.
REITZ, 620 Mermod-Jaccard Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—My equity in 6-room modern brick on Manchester car, in Webster, for lot or cottage near Wellston. Box L-160, Post-Dispatch.

LOTS Wtd.—To exchange, stone and flat; west end; rent $30; d. t. $1500; exchange equity for lots or farm; submit what you have to offer. Box B-388, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE Wtd.—To exchange, 3011 Alabama av., beautiful single 3-room flat; want cottage. Vacant. GLICK, 318 Central National Bank Bldg.

FLAT—To exchange; 53xx Easton; 3 and 4 rooms, modern; let 25x213, to made alley; fine for garage or shop; want cottage or vacant. Box B-374, Post-Dispatch.

BUNGALOW—For sale or exchange, my tasty 6-room Webster bungalow for city property up to $4000; will consider residence. Box L-316, Post-Dispatch. (c)

REAL ESTATE FOR EXCHANGE

FLAT Wtd.—Florida farms and city property; trade for flat. 3040 Semple.

FARM Wtd.—Residence to exchange, my 10-room frame, near Hodiamont; rent $480; prefer clear farm up to $3000 for equity; will consider city income. Box L-313, P.-D. (c)

APARTMENT—To exchange; 4-family 6-8 room; central west; rent $1900; deal this week; want actual value $9000, for equity; make you good deal. Box L-308, P.-D. (c)

CITY PROPERTY Wtd.—3000 feet clear vacant, near Wellston; will divide; will consider apartment, well located. Box L-307, Post-Dispatch. (c)

VACANT Wtd.—To exchange, my dwelling in Cabanne district; 9 large rooms, bath, electric light, furnace, etc.; lot 50x260; for vacant. Box L-182, Post-Dispatch. (c)

HOUSE Wtd.—Flat to exchange; my double 5-6 room flat, renting for $1080; want small home to live in; will consider county; have $4000 equity. Box L-314, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FARM Wtd.—For exchange, fine, up-to-date 4-room cottage; fine location; good income; want farm; will assume. Winfield, the Farm Man, 6200 Easton av.

FOR EXCHANGE—7-room, steam-heated brick dwelling; granitoid walk, cement basement, sleeping porch, garage; improvements. E. Zahn, 3800 Folsom.

COTTAGE Wtd.—For exchange, 100 acres, 75 acres in cultivation; want cottage or merchandise; $7000 incumbrance; $600. Winfield, 6200 Easton, St. Louis.

LOTS—For sale; have lots on Olive street rd., and other vacant ground; will trade for home controlled. Improved city property or land. F. P. Rippley, Grafton, Ill.

FLAT Wtd.—To exchange, modern 8-room house in Webster Groves, large grounds, lots of trees, for small flat in city limits; give location, price and full particulars in answer. Box L-166, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FLAT Wtd.—3 or 4 rooms, well-built, electric bath, hot and cold water and heat; Lindell or Tower Grove Heights; bargain for cash. Box T-241, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT—Wanted, at once, buyer for single flat, 4 and 5 rooms, bath, granitoid laundry; good neighborhood; owner must leave city and will sell cheap. Box L-218, P.-D. (c)

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CHAUNCEY P. HEATH, 1006 Chestnut st.

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FLAT Wtd.—South or west; single or double; flat bargains are being sold each week by Chauncey P. Heath, the Real Estate Man who sells. Write or phone him Monday. 1006 Chestnut st. Olive 3165.

HOUSE Wtd.—To buy modern 6 or 7 room bungalow or house; west of King's highway, between Page and Delmar; give description, location and price; give phone. Box B-120, Post-Dispatch.

REAL ESTATE Wtd.—Southampton; 40 to 50 foot lot; will pay all cash; only north front at a big sacrifice considered whatever. P. O. Box 304.

RESIDENCE Wtd.—Parkview; 3 baths, large lot and garage; suitable residence and low price; will effect quick sale; give price and address which will be held confidential. Box L-303, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE Wtd.—2-story, 6-room brick house, South Side, about $3500, or 3-room brick, about $1000. Call 2331 S. 10th st., downstairs.

WE are selling small properties listed with us at bargain prices, and need more; no charge unless sale is made. Papers carefully and intelligently executed.
BARNGROVE & SPECHT, 112 N. 7th st.

FARM Wtd.—For exchange, $16,000 stock of general merchandise in Missouri town, doing good business, to trade for cheap-priced farm, preferably in Ozarks. Box L-162, Post-Dispatch.

PROPERTY Wtd.—To trade 160 acres land in Brewster County, Tex.; price $10 per acre; make offer; will take St. Louis property. Frank Lutens, 1005 Broadway, Mount Vernon, Ill.

FARM Wtd.—A fine 4-family flat of 5 and 6 rooms each; steam heat; all modern improvements; rents $1220 per year; owner wants good farm near St. Louis. EASTON-TAYLOR TRUST CO., Easton and Taylor avs. (c)

RESIDENCE Wtd.—To exchange, 172 acres, Eastern Illinois; all cultivation; two sets improvements; mortgage $4000; price, $14,000; will consider $10,000 residence equity in income property. Box W-409, Post-Dis.

FLAT Wtd.—To exchange fine valley farm. A1 in every respect; 100 acres in cultivation; good improvements; farm is clear; price $8000; deed of trust $3000; want flat; no agents. Box B-80, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING HOUSE Wtd.—To exchange, cottage, near Arlington and Kingsland; 8 rooms, bath; lot 50x180; workshop 25x40; rent $15; incumbrance, $1200; price $2500; want paying rooming house; other offers considered. Box W-154, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Will trade farm of 122 acres in Illinois, about 15 miles from St. Louis, in American bottom; house, barn, etc.; on good road; price $150 per acre; will trade for income property. Box T-201, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSES—For sale or exchange, in beautiful Pasadena, Cal., 50-foot lot, 2 houses, 7 and 6 rooms each; equity, $1500; also 5-room cottage and 3 vacant lots, clear, near ocean in Santa Monica, Cal., $4000, for clear St. Louis property. Owner, 2267A Page bl.

PROPERTY Wtd.—To exchange a fine corner lot, 60x140, located n. w. cor. Norwood and Terry avs.; want income property.
GOLDWASSER & DUBINSKY R. CO.,
722 Chestnut st..

VACANT Wtd.—3811-13-15-17 Easton av.; 75x120; four stores and four 4-room and bath flats above; rented for $1644 per year; good vacant; clear; will be considered in exchange.
EASTON-TAYLOR TRUST CO., Easton and Taylor avs.

FARM Wtd.—Apartment to exchange; my 3-room and bath apartment, renting for $4500 per year; prefer a clear farm or residence for equity; this is A1 income and will make anyone a substantial return. Box L-305, Post-Dispatch. (c)

HOUSE—For sale or exchange, modern 7-room brick house, worth $8000; will let go for $5000; easy terms; or will take land or anything as part pay; hot-water heat, gas, electric light, garage; big bargain. 3922 Greenwood, Maplewood.

FARMS Wtd.—In exchange for St. Louis improved city property, 6 per cent farm loans made. City property to exchange for plantations, ranches, raw lands, improved farms, merchandise or county acres. Illinois coal lands a specialty. Hamilton counties. Jefferson, Franklin. Hamilton counties. Hagan, 408 Olive st.

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ANDERSON-STOECKER-BUERMANN,
808 Chestnut st.

Exchange Farm for City

80-acre farm, 30 acres in cultivation; hog house, good outbuildings; will exchange for cottage in the city.
WEST ST. LOUIS TRUST CO.,
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BEING FORECLOSED?—Pay cash for your equity; particulars. Brown, 714 Holland Bldg.

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HAVE cash buyers for cheap investment property.
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HAVE $250 for an equity in house or cottage; subject to one mortgage only. Box B-319, Post-Dispatch.

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FINE BUNGALOW
3624 Wenzlick av.; 8 rooms, reception hall and bath, hot water heating system, wired for electricity, granitoid cellar, fireBrick mantel, marble sink in kitchen, large living room; will trade.
ALBERT WENZLICK, 1010 Chestnut st.

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You will buy this lovely 6-room residence, bath, furnace, lot 33x150; street and sidewalk made; price $3850; not much cash needed. Owner will show through.
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Here is a home that can't be equaled anywhere at the price; 7 rooms and reception hall; hardwood floors; every modern convenience; large garage; just 3 blocks south of Tower Grove Park; am leaving city. Owner, Box R-136, Post-Dispatch.

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Four-room cottage and bath; all improvements made; easy terms. See this today and call. FEDERER-COLLER R. CO.,
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I want to sell before I leave for Oklahoma, 6933 West Park av, (3 blocks from Forest Park and Market st. cars), beautiful, brand-new and highly modern 5-room bungalow, with double garage; vacuum heating system, tile roof. Will sell with small payment down and easy terms. New homes will be scarce; save money by buying now. Owner, Marshall 4248; 6929 West Park av.

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4808-10-16 Allemania st.; 3 fine, modern, brick bungalows; each has 4 large rooms, bath, china closet, art-glass windows, colonnade, marble sink, electric fixtures, shades, cement walks and walks. Front Rank finance; 1 block to Cherokee cars; price is very low if sold now; they will cost more in the spring; terms easy; open this afternoon, Victor 1600.

5-Room Brick Cottage, Garage
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Lot 84x140—Street Made
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2917 Virginia av., well-built brick of five rooms, bath, hot water heat, marble sink, etc.; price only $3850; owner will show you through. "SEE US."
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Both phones. 619 Chestnut st.

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For sale; 1059 McCausland av.; most complete and best located home in city; close to Forest Park; has everything you would want in a bungalow. (c)

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If so, take advantage of this real bargain today; a beautiful new 5-room Sun Dispo bungalow, built of brick, rock, iron and tile; bungalows like this are selling everywhere for $4800 and $5000; you can buy this one for $3650 if contracts for building material were made before the advancement and our forcing means this immense saving to you; churches, school and cars within two blocks, No. 4946 Wisehan av.; 300 feet west of King's highway; take Cherokee car to King's highway and walk two blocks north.
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On Wyoming st., 1½ blocks east of Grand av., is a dandy at an exceptionally cheap bargain price. On north side of street, 1½-story of 3 rooms and hall 1st floor, 3 rooms, bath (3 floors), hardwood floors, bathroom, hot-water heating plant; all street improvements made. Will make you reasonable terms and probably take other property part trade; foreclosure price, $4600.
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4019 Wyoming st., 5 rooms and 2 extra large sun rooms, make ideal sleeping rooms hot-water heat; hardwood floors throughout; gas in tiled bathroom; built-in refrigerator and side ice; large stone and brick porch across entire front; brick fireplace; bookcases and other built-in features; screens, shades, beautiful lighting fixtures; slate roof; lot 25x141x irregular; street and alley made; terms; just completed; open.
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BUNGALOWS AND COTTAGES — WEST

COTTAGE—For sale; 6 rooms, bath, gas, electricity; bargain, 5039 Ridge.

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SACRIFICE, 3412 WILLIAMS
5400 west; 5-room brick, bath, electric; good condition; $2200; terms. GLICK, 318 Central National Bank Bldg.

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BUNGALOW—For sale, brick, new, 6 rooms, 4041 Geraldine av.

COTTAGE—For sale; bargain; 4 rooms; lot 50x120. 5610 Labadie av.

COTTAGE—For sale; 4 rooms, bath; all improvements made. 5008 Claxton av.

COTTAGE—For sale; North End; worth $2750; will sell for $1800; $500 cash, balance monthly. Box W-418, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE—For sale, well built, modern, 4 rooms; low price; reasonable terms. Box L-51, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE—For sale or exchange, brick cottage, 4054 Ashland av.; look and make offer.

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FARM—For sale, 65 acres, 5 miles of Hunterville, 1 mile of school, half mile of church, 40 acres in bottom land in cultivation, 5 acres timber, 5 acres in pasture, 5-room house, good barn, all fenced, family orchard, well and spring water; price $2500; half down and time on balance. B. H. Atkinson, Berryville, Ark.

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RESTAURANT—Good business and location; doing $40 per day; cheap rent; don't overlook this one. Will stand strict investigation; big sacrifice. 2903 Olive.

RESTAURANT—And confectionery store, on big transfer corner; doing good business; bargain if sold at once; must leave for service. Box M-159, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—And coffee house; small place, clearing $150 a month, or take good partner. Popular Price, 213 N. 13th st., near Olive.

RESTAURANT—And lunchroom; opposite large mfg. plant; open day and night; established 3 years; open for investigation; cash money only will buy. Box K-40, Post-Dispatch.

SHOE REPAIR SHOP—Well established; latest models machinery; dirt cheap if sold at once. Box B-37, Post-Dispatch.

SHOE STORE—Or trade for small flats, approximate $8000 stock. Box B-127, Post-Dispatch.

SHOE REPAIR SHOP—Complete machinery, worth $500; will sell at a bargain; best stand in city for a good shoemaker; other business. 2711 Indiana.

STEAM LAUNDRY—Up-to-date; address 108 St. Louis rd., Collinsville, Ill.

STORAGE battery repair and charging station; good location; lots of business; must sell; bargain. Forest 3877.

STORE—Stock of new and secondhand goods; good trade established; good location; cheap rent; country town; nothing but the money will do; all inquiries. Box J-157, P.-D.

STORE—New stock of dry goods, shoes and groceries; bought since Sept. 1, 1917; worth 50 per cent more than cost. Address 519 S. Market st., Mafeisa, Ill.

STORE—Small hardware and implement stock; well established business; good location. Address S. J. Williams, Newburg, Mo.

STORE—A live one with growing trade; doing good cash business; A1 business town; good stand; clean stock of shoes and furnishing goods; will sell at invoice, about $6000; cash only. Box 491, Flat River, Mo.

TAILOR SHOP—Plenty work year round; party in draft. 4468 Easton av.

TAILOR SHOP—Good; on account of death. 2425 N. Broadway.

TAILOR SHOP—Fine chance for young man; small amount money required; business established 5 years; live man can build trade; leaving city; will stay 60 days with buyer. Box L-56, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

TEAMING BUSINESS—For sale or trade for small flat; price $2500; will assure difference. Box B-38, Post-Dispatch.

TELEPHONE SYSTEM—Five exchanges; 93 mile toll line; earned $24,682.01 gross last year. For particulars address F. W. Creasy, Box 402, Poteau, Ok.

TIN SHOP—In good condition and location; firmly established 14 years; good contracts; machine and stock on hand; owner wants to leave city at once. Box K-54, P.-D.

TOWEL SUPPLY BUSINESS—Small town; good chance for one understanding business; reasonable. Box J-9, Post-Dis.

VEGETABLE and poultry market; going out of business; reason leaving city. 1514 S. Broadway.

VARIETY STORE—Best location on South Side; good reason for selling. Box B-24, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS FOR SALE

TIN AND PLUMBING SHOP—8-foot iron brake, 24 S. 11th st.

WALL PAPER BUSINESS—Good location; low rent; Ford truck; will sell for less than value of stock. Box K-122, Post-Dis.

WALL PAPER BUSINESS—Stock and tools; good trade; or exchange for anything of value. 3703 Lucky st.

WILL sacrifice rooming house for $100 if taken at once. Box T-219, Post-Dispatch.

HAVE up-to-date stock of general merchandise in good country town, for cash; owner wants to retire. VICTOR WM. REITZ JR., 620 Mermod-Jaccard Bldg.

THE PENNANT, the best-paying cafe and refreshment business in Lawton, Ok., is for sale; Camp Doniphan and Fort Sill located there; thousands of soldiers and visitors; clearing $600 per month; only cabaret in city; profits can be doubled by proper management; price and terms right; a real snap; reason for selling; clearance sale between camps. If you want to investigate, address Owner, 2020 Olive st., Kansas City, Mo. (c7)

PROVISIONS

Strong and higher; advances noted on lard, green hams and D. S. meats; S. P. and S. C. meats unchanged.

LARD—Prime steam lip pieces at 26.37@26.42c nominal; kettle-rendered in tierces 28¾@28¾c.

BACON—Clear bellies 24¼@24¾c for 12@14-lb average; 23¾@24¼c for 14@16s, 23¾@23¾c for 18@20s; 23¾@24¼c; bellies (boneless), 28¾@32¾c; shoulders, 20¾@20¾c; skinned shoulders, 21½@22c; picnics, 18¾@20¼c; pork loins, 23¾@24¾c; Boston butts, 25¾c; spareribs, 17¼c; tenderloins, 35c.

S. P. MEATS—Quote: Hams—10@12s, 22@23½c; 12@14s, 21¾@22¾c; 14@16s, 24@24¾c; 16@20s, 24¾@24¾c; skinned hams, 23¾@24¾c; picnics, 18¼@19¾c; clear bellies, 27¾@30¾c.

D. S. MEATS—Quote loose in car lots f. o. b.: Heavy to light fully-cured

SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH'S REVIEW OF MARKET CONDITIONS

RAILROAD STOCKS SHOW FIRMNESS IN NEW YORK; INDUSTRIALS ARE LOWER

Week's Trading Records Mixed Prices Despite an Active Buying Demand.

CURB VALUES ARE FIRM

Motor Stocks Feature Speculation in the Broad Street Market.

Northern Pacific Shows Big Losses in Earnings.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 23.—The operating income of the Northern Pacific in 1917 decreased $4,109,146.39, according to the report made today by Comptroller G. A. Gray to the Interstate Commerce Commission. The 1917 income was $27,423,054.78, and the 1916 was $31,532,181.37. The decrease is held due to the greatly increased cost of operation and maintenance resulting from war prices.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted weekly financial review, says:

"The form in which the railway control bill passed the Senate yesterday will probably encourage better feeling in regard to the railways, which has already been manifested on the Stock Exchange. The Senate, it is true, rejected the amendment providing for return of the railways to their private owners six months after peace is declared, and left the provision for 18 months of retention by the Government.

"If the House were to accept the Senate's action, and future Congresses were to make no change, the probability is that the railway managers themselves would be better satisfied with the longer than the shorter period; for 'demobilization' of armies and industries will create temporarily as complicated a situation as 'mobilization,' and there may be quite as much need for the exercise of paramount war powers in one process as in the other.

The Action of Congress.

"But the truth is that no provision enacted today, and naming the date for returning the railways to their owners, can amount to anything more than an expression of the wish of the present Congress. Any future Congress or any future session could amend or rescind it. The real importance of any specific declaration of the sort, in the present bill, is that it sets forth clearly the purpose of the present lawmakers.

"It will dispose altogether of the possibility that the courts might hereafter construe the railway control act of 1918, as having implied the intention, on the part of Congress, to retain the roads indefinitely.

"The more practically interesting parts of the Senate bill are its provision—necessary under the circumstances—that the Government, in administering the roads, need not be bound by existing restrictive legislation, and the further provision that changes in rates shall be initiated by the President, but reviewed by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

"Apparently, this last provision was drawn up with a view to making possible prompt increase in rates, while still leaving the commission to pass on and correct inequities or injustices which might arise from such action.

"The Government's action in this matter, if the bill passes in the present form, will be highly interesting, and may conceivably set some sort of precedent for the longer future. At all events, rates must apparently be raised at once, unless the Government is to be a heavy loser through such drastic orders and embargoes as have already been promulgated, represents an important achievement. But it was accomplished at the expense of the railways' earning power, and the same result is likely to follow future policies of the Director-General.

Market Shows Selling.

"It is possible that the week-end reaction of the Stock Market in some way reflected the market's views of the German advance into Russia, and the situation created by it. If this meant simply that Wall Street was unable to draw any except confused and perplexing inferences from that episode, the market might be pardoned for retreating. Anyone can construct his own theory as to what will immediately result from this extraordinary invasion, and how it will affect the fortunes of the war.

"It is not illogical to assume that Germany's weak-kneed allies will be heartened, her own sullen people silenced, or stupified, and the war continued with enhanced prestige for the Berlin militarist cabal.

"Still there are a multitude of other and conflicting possibilities in this strange chapter of events. Through its captures in the wake of the fleeing Bolshevik troops, the German army has added largely to its own artillery and munitions. But it is diverting from other purposes, the army of invasion and occupation, which has its bearing on the much-advertised 'grand offensive' on the Western front.

"It is creating for Germany herself a political problem of great complexity and gravity, and, while pursuit of the hair-brained Bolshevik fanatics, who begin resistance by demobilization and surrender, can hardly parallel the circumstances of Napoleon's ill-fated Russian campaign, there are opportunities for military, as well as political miscarriage.

"On all this, it is hardly worth while to speculate. Very recent experience has shown how very apt the Eastern situation is to change completely over night, and it may be reversed tomorrow, so far as concerns the German policy.

"Apart from the purely military aspects of the episode, there is this much of actual reassurance in it—that the world has witnessed a highly practical demonstration of the result of the ultra-socialist scheme of government in operation. The ignominious collapse of the whole grotesque performance, and its visible results in the social and political, and now the military field, will hardly serve as a text for spreading the propaganda hereafter among reasoning men.

"The stock market showed irregular changes on the week's trading. Yesterday's dealings reflected profit-taking."

Stocks Active and Higher on New York Curb.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The important movements on the Broad street curb during the past week were to materially higher prices, with vigorous trading in various groups of stocks at frequent intervals.

The war order stocks were more prominent, with Aetna Explosives unusually active and advancing from 6⅞ to 8¼. Marlin Arms, which has been neglected for a long time, was traded in at 78 to 81½ and Submarine moved up from 12¾ to 13⅜. Charcoal Iron attracted attention because of accumulation by inside interests, with transactions at 8 to 8¼.

The Aeroplane stocks showed pronounced strength in the first half of the week, when Curtiss advanced from 39 to 41⅞, losing much of this gain on Thursday, and Wright-Martin, which had been quiet for some time past, developed a strong tone, advancing from 7⅞ to 8¼.

The motor stocks made the greatest gain shown in any group, Chevrolet advancing from 121 to 130⅞, and United Motor rose from 25 to 30. Standard Motor was traded in at 10 to 12.

Oil stocks showed an uncertain tone early, strength being followed by sales at concessions. Midwest Refining was the most prominent feature, advancing from 108 to 112. Cosden, after selling at 8¾, reacted to 7⅞, and Houston Oil, which was in demand for a time, selling at 44, reacted to 41. Meritt ranged from 22 to 21¼. Oklahoma sold at 7 to 7½, and Sinclair Oil at 22½ to 21½.

The mining stocks were also irregular. Mamga, after advancing to 14¼, yielded about 1 point, and United Verde Extension, which moved up to 42, reacted to 39½.

St. Joseph Lead sold at 16⅝ to 16¼, after the announcement of the reduced dividend.

A good deal of interest was shown in the outcome of important conferences in this city, by the financial interests concerned in Washoe Copper and Nixon-Nexada. These conferences have been going on for several days, but no information in regard to matters under consideration was furnished. The two stocks showed a firm tone, reflecting buying by Western interests.

Russian 5½s were traded in at 41½ to 38, and the 6½s sold at 45½ to 45.

St. Louis Lead Market.

Lead was firm at $7 bid here today; spelter firm at $7.75.

NEW YORK STOCKS

REPORTED DAILY FOR THE POST-DISPATCH BY G. H. WALKER & CO., 307 NORTH FOURTH STREET.

Industrials.

FOR WEEK ENDING FEB. 23, 1918.

STOCKS.	Sales	High for Week	Low for Week	Close for Week	Change for Week
Adv. Rumley	2,300	17⅜	16½	16½	— ½
Rumley preferred	1,700	20½	20	20	• ½
American Beet Sugar	19,300	81¼	78¾	81¼	— 1⅜
American Can common	55,000	42¾	40¾	40½	— ⅝
American Can preferred	200	95	95	95	• ⅜
Atlantic, Gulf & West Indies	35,600	120¼	114½	115	— 3¾
Allis Chalmers common	47,400	27¾	24¾	26⅝	• 1⅞
Allis Chalmers preferred	2,600	81¼	79⅛	80½	• ⅝
American Ice	1,500	15	13½	14½	• 1
American Hide and Leather common	8,300	14	13⅜	13½	— ¼
American Hide and Leather preferred	5,300	60	58⅜	59¼	• ¼
American Wool	17,800	56⅝	54⅜	55¼	• 1½
American Sugar	11,200	108½	106¾	107⅝	• 1¼
American Telephone	4,000	108¼	106¾	107⅞	• 1⅝
American Linseed Oil common	18,700	33⅝	32	32	— 1¼
American Linseed Oil preferred	700	75	74½	74½	— ½
American Tobacco	1,300	168½	164	165	— 1
American Wall Paper preferred	1,400	28	26½	26½	— 1¼
California Petroleum	4,100	18¾	17	17	— ½
Central Leather common	59,600	73½	70	70	— 1¾
Cuban Cane Sugar	34,900	33⅝	31½	32¾	• ⅝
Columbia Gas	2,600	55	54	54⅞	— ¼
Consolidated Gas	300	90¾	90½	90½	— ⅝
Corn Products Refining common	57,800	35½	32¼	33⅝	— ⅞
Corn Products Refining preferred	900	96¾	95	95	— 1
Distillers	21,200	41¾	38½	38¾	— 1¾
General Electric	7,100	143½	139½	140½	• 1½
General Motor new	34,900	126¼	125	125⅝	— 3¼
General Motor preferred	1,100	85	84¾	84¾	• ⅝
Green Cananea	3,200	42½	41¼	41½	— ⅝
Goodrich	2,200	47½	44⅝	44⅝	— 2¼
International Paper common	13,400	32¾	30	30	— 1¾
International M. M. common	160,100	31⅝	26¾	31	•2¾
International M. M. preferred	149,900	102¼	98¾	99¼	— ⅝
Laclede Gas	100	88	88	88	•3
Liggett & Myers common	200	193¾	188	193¾	•16¾
Liggett & Myers preferred	100	107	107	107	•2
Mexican Petroleum	90,000	95¾	92½	93¾	•1¼
Maxwell M. common	8,600	32½	27¾	28¼	• ¾
Maxwell M. first preferred	1,300	63¾	62	62	— ¾
Maxwell M. second preferred	3,600	24¾	22¾	23½	•1¼
National Enamel common	71,200	50½	47¾	50½	—3¼
North American	400	46¾	44	44½	—1½
Ohio Gas	27,400	41¾	39¾	40	— 1
Pacific Mail	7,800	28⅞	26¾	27⅝	— ¼
People's Gas	1,800	48	45	46	— ¾
†Studebaker common	42,000	56½	51	51½	• ½
Sears-Roebuck	1,100	156	150⅞	150¼	—4⅞
Sinclair O.	19,100	37⅜	35	35	—2
Texas Co.	10,100	153½	152⅛	152⅞	—3⅜
Tobacco Products	49,000	56¾	54	54¾	— ¼
United Cigar Stores	19,100	98¼	95¼	95¾	—1¼
United Fruit	2,800	133	129	129	—1½
United States Rubber	7,000	39¼	37¾	38⅛	• ⅝
†U. S. Ind. Alcohol	25,700	130¾	121	121	—4¾
Virginia-C. C. C.	6,400	42	40¼	41½	• ¾
Western Union	600	90¼	89½	90¼	• ⅝
Westinghouse	20,800	43½	41	41¼	— ⅝
Woolworth common	100	119½	119½	119¾	•1½
Willys-Overland common	45,700	20	18¾	18¾	— ¼
Willys-Overland preferred	1,400	82¼	80½	81	•1
White Motors	1,600	45½	43	44½	•2
Wilson & Co.	500	55	53	53	—3

Metals and Equipments.

American Zinc common	3,500	16¾	15	15	—1
American Zinc preferred	900	47	46	46	—3
American Car & Foundry Co. common	28,900	77⅞	72½	73¼	—1
American Car & Foundry Co. preferred	100	110¼	110½	110½	
American Loco. common	54,600	69¼	63	65¼	•3½
Alaska Gold	4,700	2¾	2	2¼	— ¼
An. Copper	59,900	66¼	63½	64¼	• ¼
American Smelter common	62,200	86½	83	83½	— ⅝
American Steel Foundry	6,300	68½	65	65	—1¼
Baldwin Loco.	247,000	81¾	72	73½	•1
Bethlehem Steel, B.	204,500	82¾	77¾	79⅝	•1¾
Butte & S.	11,600	22¾	19½	21¾	—2¼
Colorado Fuel & Iron	9,900	42¼	39½	40	• ¾
Chile Copper	7,100	17¾	16¾	16½	— ¼
Chino Copper	9,700	45¼	43¾	43¾	— ¼
Crucible Steel	163,100	68¾	61½	63½	— ½
Gulf States Steel	1,100	95	92	95	—4
Great Northern Ore	30,000	30¼	28¼	28½	— ½
Int. Nickel	19,400	28⅝	27¾	28	• ¼
Ins. Copper	17,900	48⅝	46	46½	— ⅝
Kennecott Copper	11,000	34¾	32¾	33¼	— ½
Lackawana Steel	12,200	80½	77¾	77¾	• ⅝
Midvale Steel	39,200	47¼	43¾	45¼	— ¼
Miami Copper	3,800	33¾	31¼	31¼	— ¼
National Lead common	5,500	58½	52	52¾	—3
Nevada Cons.	2,100	15¾	14¼	14¼	— ¼
National Conduit	2,200	16⅜	15¾	15¾	— ⅝
Pullman Co.	1,600	118	116	116	—1½
P. S. Car common	14,000	69½	66¼	66½	—2½
Railway Steel Springs	13,000	53¾	52¼	53	—1
Ray Cons.	6,700	25	23¾	23¾	— ⅝
Republic Iron & Steel common	26,500	81½	77⅝	78	— ¾
Republic Iron & Steel preferred	800	99½	99¼	99½	• ¼
S. Sheffield	3,100	53½	50	51½	•1½
Tennessee Copper	8,100	17½	16	17¾	•1⅝
United States Steel common	560,300	98½	95	95¾	— ⅝
United States Steel preferred	1,200	111¼	110½	110½	— ¼
Utah Copper	11,800	85¾	81¼	82½	—1¼

Railroads.

Atchison common	6,200	86½	84¼	85¼	• ¾
Atlantic Coast Line	200	92	92	92	•1
Baltimore & Ohio	9,100	53	52	52¾	• ¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	8,800	43½	39¾	41	—3
Canadian Pacific	10,700	149	145¼	148	•2
Chesapeake & Ohio	11,900	55¼	53¼	54¾	• ¾
Chicago Great Western	100	7¾	7¾	7¾	• ⅛
Chicago Great Western preferred	500	21¾	21	21	
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul common	13,800	44⅞	41¼	42	—1¾
Chicago Northwestern	600	94½	93¾	93¾	— ¾
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, certificates	3,700	21½	20¼	20¾	• ¾
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific preferred 7s	1,700	65	63¾	63¾	— ¾
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific preferred 6s	2,900	55¼	53½	53½	—1
Delaware & Hudson	1,100	113	110¾	111	—1
Erie common	7,600	15¾	15	15½	• ¼
Erie first preferred	3,500	26¾	25	26	•1
Erie second preferred	900	19¾	19½	19¾	
Frisco	1,100	12¾	12¾	12¾	— ½
Great Northern preferred	3,800	92¼	90	91	— ¼
Illinois Central	1,400	96¼	95	96	•1½
Kansas City Southern common	1,300	17¾	17½	17½	
Kansas City Southern preferred	100	50	50	50	
Lehigh Valley Railway	1,200	59½	57¾	57¾	—1¼
Louisville & Nashville	500	113½	112½	113½	•1¼
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	200	89	89	89	— ½
Missouri, Kansas & Texas common	600	5	4¾	4¾	•1⅛
Missouri, Kansas & Texas preferred	200	8	8	8	• ⅛
Missouri Pacific	9,700	24	22¼	22¾	— ½
Missouri Pacific Preferred	8,400	51½	48¾	50	•1
New Orleans, Texas & Mexico	800	20¼	18¾	20¼	• ½
New York Central	11,800	72¼	70¼	72	•1
New York, New Haven & Hartford	3,600	30¼	28½	29	— ½
Norfolk & Western	900	105	104½	104½	—1½
Northern Pacific	7,200	86½	84¾	85¾	• ⅝
Pennsylvania	9,700	45¼	44¾	45	
Reading common	62,000	78¾	76	76¾	— ½
Southern Pacific	15,100	87¼	85½	86½	• ¼
Southern Railway common	7,800	24¼	23¼	23¾	— ½
Southern Railway preferred	3,300	59	58¼	58½	— ¼
Union Pacific common	34,600	121⅝	119¼	121	•2
Wabash, when issued	1,800	8¾	8¼	8¾	— ¼
Wabash preferred A	7,900	43⅝	42	42¾	• ¼
Wabash preferred B	1,900	24¼	22¼	23	•1⅜
Western Maryland	4,000	17¼	15½	16¾	— ⅛

Total sales for the week, 3,400,900 shares. •Increase. —Decrease. ...Unchanged. †Ex-dividend during the week.

RAILWAYS PFD. DOWN SLIGHTLY; SELLS AT $17.50

Stock Is Most Active Issue at Week-End Session of Exchange.

ST. LOUIS CLEARING HOUSE STATEMENT.

	Clearings.	Balances.
Yesterday	$ 20,507,725	$7,923,720
Friday—Holiday.		
Thursday	22,581,082	5,870,780
Wednesday	25,968,455	6,961,162
Tuesday	22,447,218	5,744,508
Monday	31,923,873	8,766,466
Previous week	22,287,512	5,289,399
Last month	18,074,467	3,882,732
Last year	19,050,570	3,240,869
Prev. year	11,573,209	1,355,635
Totals—		
Last week	130,488,553	34,366,616
Preceding week	143,572,465	34,136,341
Prev. week	122,937,954	22,800,478
Last year	142,300,292	21,280,621

There was a light trade in securities at the week-end session of the local Stock Exchange yesterday. Prices were irregular as compared with Thursday's call.

United Railways preferred stock was the most active issue and lost ½ point at $17.50 sales. The issue closed with $17.25 bid and $18.50 asked.

Bonds were in light request at fairly steady values. Mining stocks were neglected. Bank and trust shares were steady on the issues mentioned.

MORNING SESSION. CLOSING QUOTATIONS

	Bid.	Asked.
Natl. Bank of Commerce	116	
State National Bank		160
Third National Bank	220	240
Mortgage Guarantee	125	135
United Railways com	17¼	18½
do 4s	22⅜	55
Certificated com.		40
do 2d pfd.		39
Ely & Walker com.	102½	105
do 1st pfd.	80	
do 2d pfd.	82	84
Brown Shoe com.	64	65
do pfd.	86	
Hydraulic P. Brick com.	1	
Hamilton-Brown	128	65
St. Louis Brew. Assn. 6s		68
National Candy com.	36½	37
do 1st pfd.	97½	
do 2d pfd.	89	90
Chicago Ry. Equipment 5s	100	102½
Rocky Mountain com.	36	100
City of St. Louis 4½s		100

SALES.

REGULAR SESSION

5 Chicago Ry. Equipment at 102½.
25 Chicago Ry. Equipment at 102⅝.
10 United Railways preferred at 17½.
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New York Bond Sales

$2,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.88
5,000 Anglo 5s	at 93½
2,000 M. P. 5s	at 82¾
2,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.84
2,000 Penn. 6s	at 100
2,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.92
2,000 Armour 4½s	at 85¾
2,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.90
2,000 Rub. 5s	at 78¾
2,000 Liberty 3½s	at 98.02
1,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.78
2,000 A. T. 5s	at 84¾
40,000 Liberty 3½s	at 98
100,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.80
2,000 C. & O. 4½s	at 71
25,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.74
2,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.72
2,000 Sou. Ry. 4s	at 71
2,000 A. T. T. 5s	at 94¼
2,000 Liberty 3½s	at 97.96
50,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.70
25,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.70
25,000 Liberty 3½s	at 98
2,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.74
140,000 Liberty 3½s	at 97.98
5,000 Govt. 2s, reg.	at 90
10,000 Anglo 5s	at 93½
25,000 Liberty 4s	at 96.72
2,000 N. Y. C. 6s	at 93¼

Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The actual condition of Clearing House banks and trust companies for the week (five days) shows that they hold $57,786,680 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $28,534,880 from last week. The statement follows:

Actual condition—Loan discounts, etc., $4,-260,681,000; increase, $45,242,000. Cash in vaults (members Federal reserve banks (a) $98,977,000, decrease $1,672,000; reserve in Federal reserve bank of member banks $505,305,000, increase $24,140,000; reserve in own vaults, State banks and trust companies (b) $16,375,000, decrease $276,000; reserve in non-reserve State banks and trust companies $8,457,000, increase $1,014,000. (c) Net demand deposits, $3,574,495,000; decrease $83,531,000. Net time deposits, $201,860,000; increase, $1,024,600. Circulation, $34,448,000; increase, $294,000. Specie included in (a) and (b), $1,938,000. (c) U. S. deposits deducted, $438,825,000. Aggregate reserve, $534,137,000. Excess reserve, $57,-780,080; increase, $28,534,880.

Summary of State banks and trust companies in Greater New York, not included in Clearing House statement: Loans, discounts, etc., $886,519,800; increase, $14,840,-800. Specie, $147,100; decrease, $324,200. Legal tenders, $83,746,700; increase, $774,-800. Total deposits, $973,970,000; increase, $13,783,000. Cash in vaults, $12,140,-260. Trust companies: Cash in vaults, $88,-853,600.

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Mercantile paper, 5½@6¾ per cent. Sterling 60-day bills, 4.72½; commercial 60-day bills on banks, 4.72; commercial 60-day bills, 4.71½; demand, 4.75¼; cables, 4.76 7-16. Francs, demand, 5.72⅜; cables, 5.70½. Guilders, demand, 44¼; cables, 44⅝. Lire, demand, 8.37; cables, 8.36. Rubles, demand, 13; cables, 13¼ nominal. Bar silver, 87½c; Mexican dollars, 68c. Government bonds heavy; railroad bonds steady.

London Review.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York Evening Post.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—"Belief is general in financial quarters here, that Germany's policy is to avoid conclusion of peace on definite terms with Bolshevik Russia, to secure physical possession of Petrograd, and then to pose as absolute conqueror.

"As for the Western front, the city expects a strong German effort at any moment, based on the hope of so improving the German position in that area, as to secure favorable terms of peace before your co-operation is fully effective.

"We attribute the rise on your Stock Exchange mainly to Government assumption of responsibility for increased cost of materials and wages, and to its virtual guarantee of existing railway dividends. The rebound in prices from the extreme depression of November and December, is considered natural and logical.

"Doubt is expressed, however, as to its lasting power. This is based on the experience of British rails, which, despite high yields at current prices and dividends, are friendless on the market, owing to fears regarding the problem of wages and cost of maintenance when public control ends. Your railway problem is presumably the same.

The Coming Loans.

"It is believed that our Government has no present purpose of issuing another fixed war loan; the intention being apparently to continue issuing the national war bonds, which now are producing on the average over £20,000,000 weekly. This, with taxation yielding £25,000,000, nearly equals the total current expenditure. It is hoped that subscription to the bonds will be increased still further through the reduction in money rates.

"The fiscal position, however, will possibly be somewhat different after March (the end of the fiscal year) when revenue will be reduced. Especially, there will be some change, if the Government's policy is to be to reduce considerably the floating debt.

"National revenue for the fiscal year to date is £564,000,000, against an estimate of £639,000,000, and £50,000,-000 or £60,000,000 surplus over estimates is expected from the final returns. But expenditures is also nearly £500,000,000 over the original estimates.

"The Chancellor of the Exchequer recently stated that new taxation would be necessary if the war should extend beyond March. Further increase in the income tax has been discussed, otherwise, no strong views are expressed as to the direction of the new taxes."

Chicago Stock Market.

Reported by G. H. Walker & Co., 307 North Fourth street.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.

	Bid.	Asked
American Can com.	40¼	41
do pfd.	93	93
American Shipbuilding	90	95
do pfd.	85	87
Com. Edison	106	107½
Cudahy	110	113
Diamond Match	100	111
National Biscuit	98¼	100
do pfd.	109	115
Quaker Oats	275	280
do pfd.	97	98
Sears-Roebuck	150¼	151
do pfd.	110	120
Stewart Warner	50	58
Swift & Co.	127¼	128¼
Title & Trust	170	175
Tool	52	54
Carbide and Carbon	51¾	51¾
Wilson & Co.	51	53

Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The actual condition of Clearing House banks and trust companies for the week (five days) shows that they hold $57,786,680 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $28,534,880 from last week. The statement follows:

Actual condition—Loan discounts, etc., $4,-260,681,000; increase, $45,242,000. Cash in vaults (members Federal reserve banks (a) $98,977,000, decrease $1,672,000; reserve in Federal reserve bank of member banks $505,305,000, increase $24,140,000; reserve in own vaults, State banks and trust companies (b) $16,375,000, decrease $276,000; reserve in non-reserve State banks and trust companies $8,457,000, increase $1,014,000. (c) Net demand deposits, $3,574,495,000; decrease $83,531,000. Net time deposits, $201,860,000; increase, $1,024,600. Circulation, $34,448,000; increase, $294,000. Specie included in (a) and (b), $1,938,000. (c) U. S. deposits deducted, $438,825,000. Aggregate reserve, $534,137,000. Excess reserve, $57,-780,080; increase, $28,534,880.

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New York Curb Close

Reported daily by Stifel-Nicolaus Inv. Co., 207 N. Broadway.

	Bid.	Asked.
MINES.		
Atlanta	12	14
Big Ledge	1-16	1⅛
Canada Copper	3	2¾
Gimma Copper	⅝	7-16
Goldfield Cons.	5-16	7-16
Green Monster	⅝	11-16
Jumbo Extension	16	17
La Rose	⅝	¾
McKinley Darragh	51	55
Magma	39	41
Mines Co.	1¼	1½
Mason Valley	5½	6
Mother Lode	26	27
Nipissing	8½	8¾
Ray Hercules	4¾	4¾
St. Joe Lead	16	17
Tono Extension	1½	1⅝
Tono Belmont	3	3¼
Tono Mining	3¾	4¼
United Verde	39	41
MOTORS.		
Chevrolet	128	129½
Grant Motor	3	4
Hupp Motor	2½	3⅛
Mitchell	15	20
United Motors	28¼	28½
INDUSTRIALS.		
Aetna Explosives	8¼	8¾
Brit. Am. Tob. new	17	18¼
Canada Natural Gas		9-16
Carwen Steel	7	9
Keystone Tire com.	16	17
do pfd.	16	17
Kresge	79	85
Lake Torpedo	3	3½
Manhattan Transit	½	¾
Marconi	3⅝	3⅝
Submarine Boat	13	14
Triangle Film	⅞	1
World's Film	¾	¾
Wright Martin	¾	8¼
Curtiss Aero	39½	40½
INDEPENDENT OILS.		
Elk Basin	6¼	7
Northwest Oil	63	67
Merritt Oil	21	22
Glenrock	3½	4
Anglo American	12¾	12¾
Cosden Co.	8	8¼
Houston Oil	41	45
Midwest Oil com.	110	115
do pfd.	11¾	11¾
Midwest Refg.	110	112
Okla. Oil	3	4
Okla. Prod. and Refg.	7¾	8¼
Sapulpa	8½	8¾
Sinclair Gulf	20	22
STANDARD OILS.		
Anglo-American Oil Co. new	12¾	13¾
Atlantic Refining Co.	900	920
Borne-Scrymser Co.	440	470
Buckeye Pipe Line Co.	93	97
Chesebrough Mfg. Co.	320	340
Colonial Oil Co.	30	40
Continental Oil Co.	470	490
Crescent Pipe Line Co.	30	34
Cumberland Pipe Line Co.	145	160
Eureka Pipe Line	190	200
Galena-Signal Oil Co. com.	130	137
do pfd.	115	125
Illinois Pipe Line Co.	185	195
Indiana Pipe Line Co.	93	98
National Transit Co.	12½	14
New York Transit Co.	210	220
Northern Pipe Line Co.	103	108
Ohio Oil Co.	228	241
Penn. Mex. Fuel	43	47
Pierce Oil Corporation	9¾	10¼
Prairie Oil and Gas Co.	475	485
Prairie Pipe Line Co.	270	275
Solar Refining Co.	300	315
Southern Pipe Line Co.	180	190
South Penn Oil Co.	285	295
Southwest Pa. Pipe Line Co.	93	100
Standard Oil Co. (Cal.)	450	460
do Ind.	650	660
do Kan.	460	480
do Ky.	520	530
do Neb.	480	520
do N. J.	548	552
do N. Y.	450	470
do Ohio	400	420
Swan & Finch Co.	98	105
Union Tank Line Co.	87	90
Vacuum Oil Co.	348	355
Washington Oil Co.	25	30

Boston Stock Market.

Reported by G. H. Walker & Co., 307 N. Fourth street.

BOSTON, Feb. 23.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amn. Zinc com.	15	16
do pfd	43	46
Butte & Superior	19¾	20¼
Calumet & Hecla	420	450
Copper Range	43¾	43¾
East Butte	10	10¼
Granby	74	78
Greene Cananea	41	42
Nipissing	8¼	8
North Butte	15½	15¾
New Cornelia	17	17½
United Shoe Machinery	45	45½

"MAXIMUM" ON OATS HERE SET AT 94 CENTS

Futures Drop Three Cents at Week-End Session; Corn Is Slightly Lower.

A drive against oats futures on the Merchant's Exchange yesterday, sent prices prices down 3c, after the market had mounted at the preceding session to the highest point ever known. The declining followed action by officials of the exchanges in various markets, in placing maximum figures on all options up to and including May.

Prices here were set at 94c, or the market of the last sale in March oats. In Chicago and Kansas City the price set was 93c. In Winnipeg the maximum was placed at 99c. The Canadian market has ruled 5c to 6c higher than our markets for several months.

The action of the exchanges was taken in an effort to curb speculation which has carried oats up over 12c in about two weeks. Last fall when it was seen that the crop would be a record-breaker, oats sold at close to 50c in domestic markets.

Much of the buying that carried the market to the top, was induced by favorable recommendation in the Senate at Washington, of the bill to increase the price of the 1918 wheat crop from the Government's fixed value of $2 to $2.50 or $3.

Traders immediately bought oats and

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DEATHS

Death notices, first 6 lines or less, $1; each extra line 20c; memoriams, etc., 20c per line.

BANGERT—On Friday, Feb. 22, 1918, at 9:15 p. m., Olivette Bangert, beloved daughter of William and Elizabeth Bangert (nee Holina), and sister of Mrs. August Nolte and Mrs. Harvey Dreibuss (nee Bangert), and William Jr. and George Bangert, and our dear sister-in-law and aunt, aged 24 years 10 months 8 days.

Funeral from residence, 3729 California avenue, Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., to New St. Marcus' Cemetery. Motor.

BRADBURY—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 22, 1918, at 1:45 a. m., Charles F. Bradbury, beloved husband of Lillie A. Bradbury, dear father of Herbert, Mabel, Sadie and Thomas Bradbury, Mrs. G. H. Justison and Mrs. G. E. Smith.

Funeral Sunday, Feb. 24, at 2 p. m., from Pashedag's chapel, 2825 North Grand avenue, to Valhalla Cemetery.

BUTZ—On Friday, Feb. 22, 1918, at 2:30 a. m., Anton Butz, beloved husband of Elizabeth Butz (nee Hauser), and our dear father and grandfather, aged 84 years.

Funeral from residence at Carsonville, Mo., on Monday, Feb. 25, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Ann's Church, thence to St. Ann's Cemetery, Normandy, Mo. Carriages.

Alton (Ill.) and Chicago papers please copy. (c7)

CONNORS—Entered into rest at the family residence, 1515 Lynch avenue, East St. Louis, Annie Connors, dearly beloved daughter of the late Jeremiah Connors and Annie Connors (nee Scully), and dear sister of James and William Connors and Mrs. Mary Syron (nee Connors), Mrs. Cathrine Beller (nee Connors), in her twenty-fifth year.

Funeral Monday, Feb. 25, at 8:30 a. m., to Sacred Heart Church, thence to Mount Carmel Cemetery. May her soul rest in peace. (c7)

COOK—On Monday, Feb. 18, 1918, Rhoda S. Cook, widow of Wilbur B. Cook, and mother of Ella E. Cook, in Denver, Colo.

Interment at Denver.

COURTOIS—On Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 4:15 a. m., Albert Louis Courtois, beloved husband of Louisa Courtois, dear father of Louis L. Courtois and Mrs. Blanche O'Keefe (nee Courtois), our brother, brother-in-law and grandfather, aged 62 years 8 months 26 days.

Funeral from family residence, 3742 Blow street, Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., to St. Boniface Church, thence to Mount Olive Cemetery. Carriages.

DE LORME—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 22, 1918, at 12 p. m., suddenly, Jean B. De Lorme, beloved husband of Mary E. De Lorme (nee Larobardier), dear father of Marie, Charles and Helen De Lorme, and our dear son, brother and uncle, at the age of 41 years.

Funeral on Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 2211 South Third street, to Ss. Peter and Paul's Church, thence to Ss. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Motor. (c)

FROESCHNER—Entered into rest, suddenly, on Friday, Feb. 22, 1918, Albert Herman Theophil Froeschner, our beloved son, brother, brother-in-law, cousin and uncle, at the age of 14 years 2 days.

Funeral from family residence, 5539 Wren avenue, on Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., to the Evangelical Salvation Church, Plover and Thekla avenue, thence to Zion Cemetery. Friends and relatives invited.

Chicago (Ill.) papers please copy.

FUCHS—Suddenly on Thursday, Feb. 21, 1918, Julius Arnold Fuchs, beloved son of Arnold A. and Elizabeth Fuchs, dear brother of Alina Fuchs, in his eighteenth year.

Due notice of funeral from Ambruster's chapel, 4226 Manchester avenue will be given. (c)

FROESCHNER—Entered into rest suddenly on Friday, February 22, Frederick W. Froeschner, our beloved son, brother and cousin, at the age of 14 years 8 days.

Funeral from family residence, 5537 Wren avenue, on Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., to the Evangelical Salvator Church, Plover and Thekla avenues, thence to Zion Cemetery. Friends and relatives invited. (c)

CHURCH NOTICES

THE COLLEGE AND SOCIETY OF DIVINE METAPHYSICS (New Thought) invites you to their helpful service at 8 p. m. every Sunday and Thursday. Henneman Hall, 3723 Olive street. Joseph Perry Green, speaker. (c99)

SPIRITUALISM

CHURCH FRATERNAL SPIRITUALIST, Marcus Hall, 47th and Easton, 8 p. m.

SPIRITUAL CIRCLE. Wed. 2 p. m., Tues. and Fri. 8 p. m., by L. G., 2829 Howard.

ANCIENT ORDER MELCHISEDEK. Services Sun. 2:30, Tues. Fri. 8 p. m. 4062A Easton.

CHURCH DIVINE. Meeting Tues. 2 p. m., Thurs. 8 p. m. 1912 North Grand. Mrs. Johnson.

IDEAL SPIRITUAL SOCIETY. Meeting every Tuesday, 2:30. Medium, Miss Rosa, 1525 Carr.

SPIRITUAL CHURCH 8 p. m. 1443 Clinton. Spirit message by Kleinlein. All welcome.

HOME TALENT CHURCH. Services Tues., Fri. Sun. 8:30. 4258 Finney, 14th and Benton, flower services. Mrs. M. Thompson.

NEW THOUGHT CHURCH. Meets at 4351 McPherson avenue, Tuesdays 2 p. m. and Thursdays 8 p. m. Mrs. Aasman medium.

FIRST PROGRESSIVE CHURCH Services Sunday, Thursday, 2 p. m., 8 p. m., lecture messages by Mrs. Bremer, 2815 N. Prarie.

SPIRITUAL CHURCH OF COMMUNICATION, Meeting Wed. 8:30 p. m. Thurs. at 2:30. Sun. at 4 p. m., 1531 South 9th st. Wed. evening flower service. Mrs. C. Waters. (c)

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CHRISTIAN SPIRITUALIST ASSOCIATION, holding services Sunday evening 8:30, Tuesday evening 8:30, Thursday afternoon 2:30. Lectures by Mrs. Wright. Messages by Mrs. C. A. Manley, 3041 Washington av.

SPIRITUAL CHRISTIAN UNION CHURCH. Mr. Hellscher, medium. Meeting next Sunday evening. All welcome. Tests. Healing lectures. Music. Open for new membership. Come. Open daily. Telephone, Grand 1326. 1447A South Jefferson.

OCCULT SPIRITUAL ALLIANCE CHURCH meets tonight at 8 o'clock sharp. 3752 Olive. The largest society in the city. Lecture by Thomas H. Ellis, tests by several mediums. Test circle Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All welcome.

FRITZ—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 23, at 7:35 p. m., Minna Fritz (nee Weisel), widow of the late George J. Fritz, dearly beloved mother of Martha F. Kalbfleisch (nee Fritz), Emil H. Fritz, George J. Fritz, Olivia I. Fritz.

Due notice of funeral. (c)

GEILER—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 22, 1918, at 6 p. m., Sophia Geiler, beloved mother of John and Frank Geiler, and our dear mother-in-law, at the age of 75 years.

Funeral Monday, Feb. 25, at 8:30 a. m., from the residence, 2501 Bacon street, to St. Teresa's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Motor.

Ste. Genevieve papers please copy.

GREENWALD—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 22, 1918, at 12 p. m., Adam Greenwald, aged 72 years, dear father of John, Richard, Mrs. Louis Hofmann (nee Greenwald), Mrs. Jacob Fischer (nee Greenwald), Mrs. Joseph Schmidt (nee Greenwald), and William Greenwald.

Funeral Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., from Moydell's parlor, 1926 Allen avenue, to St. Vincent de Paul's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

HALAMICEK—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 12:30 p. m., Anna Halamicek (nee Pavlik), aged 37 years 3 months 26 days, dear wife of Ernest J. Halamicek, beloved mother of Anna, Ernest Jr., Helen, Robert and Victor Halamicek, our dear sister, sister-in-law and aunt.

Funeral Tuesday, Feb. 26, at 2 p. m., from Moydell parlor, 1926 Allen avenue, to New Picker Cemetery. Motor. (c1)

HANN—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 5:45 p. m., Marion Eleanore Hann, beloved daughter of William H. and Nellie Haan (nee Williamson), and our dear grandchild, great-grandchild and niece, aged 1 year 3 months.

Funeral from residence, 3254 Red Bud avenue, Monday, Feb. 25, at 2:30 p. m. Motor. (c)

HOMAN—Edward C. Homan, dearly beloved son of Johanna Homan, and dear brother of Harry and Charles Homan, on Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 10:30 a. m. Deceased was a member of the Egyptian Hustlers and Southeast Missouri Drummers' Association.

Funeral from residence, 2232A Nebraska avenue, on Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., to New Picker Cemetery. Motor.

HUNTER—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, James Thomas Hunter, 4530 Genevieve avenue, beloved husband of Mildred Hunter (nee Hughes), dear father of Lola, Osie, Clarence and Florence Hunter, our dear brother, at the age of 72 years.

Remains will be forwarded from E. J. Schnur funeral parlor, 2652 Chouteau avenue, Tuesday morning, Feb. 26, to Fulton, Mo. (c)

KENNISTON-TAGNEY—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 22, 1918, at 2 a. m., Elizabeth Kenniston-Tagney (nee Clegg), dear mother of John W., Edward H., Ralph G., Mrs. Jennie McCauley and Mrs. Ruth Brown, dear sister of Mrs. Phoebe Haak, our dear mother-in-law and grandmother, aged 56 years.

Funeral from the Leidner chapel, 2222 St. Louis avenue, Sunday, Feb. 24, at 2 p.m. Deceased was a member of P. H. C., Social League Circle No. 105. Motor. (c)

KINEALY—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 22, 1917, at 11:17 a. m., Sarah J. Kinealy, widow of Michael Kinealy, mother of James R., John H., William B. Kinealy, Mrs. Lawrence C. Flynn and the late Anna S. Kinealy.

Funeral from family residence, 3403 Newby street, Monday, Feb. 25, at 9 a. m., to Mt. Carmel Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. Motor.

KRENNING—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 22, 1918, at 5:45 p. m., Emma Krenning (nee Horstkotte), beloved wife of P. F. William Krenning and sister of Mrs. Paul Krenning, Mrs. William Kreuter and Miss Augusta Horstkotte, at the age of 55 years.

Remains will lie in state at the Kron chapel, 2707 North Grand avenue, until Monday, Feb. 25, at 12 o'clock, noon. Services at 2 p. m. at the Independent Evangelical Protestant Church, Fair and Margaretta avenue. Motor. (c7)

LIPPOLD—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 1:30 a. m., Mary Lippold (nee Lingeman), relict of Joseph B. Lippold, our dear mother, mother-in-law and grandmother and sister, after a lingering illness at the age of 63 years.

Funeral from residence of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Schmidt of 2848 St. Louis avenue, on Thursday, Feb. 28, 1918 at 8:15 a. m., to Perpetual Help Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited. Motor. (c2)

LOEWNAU—On Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 8:15 p. m., Emil A. Loewnau, beloved husband of Barbara Loewnau (nee Mana), father of William, Frederick and Edward Loewnau, and our dear son, brother and grandfather.

Funeral from residence, 6100 Vermont avenue, on Tuesday, Feb. 26, at 2 p. m., to St. Paul's Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Missouri Lodge, No. 1, A. F. and A. M.; Venus Chapter, O. E. S., No. 153; Lilly-Lodge, No. 551, North American Union; Carondelet Germania Turnverein; City Foresters' Union, No. 14,851, South End Improvement Association. (c)

MEYER—Entered into rest, at Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I., Henry Joseph Meyer, beloved son of Henry and Mrs. Meyer Spencer (nee Dauenther), dear brother of Esther Caprio, uncle of Virgil Caprio, and our dear brother-in-law and cousin, at the age of 21 years.

Funeral on Sunday, Feb. 24, at 1:30 p. m., from Ziegenheln Bros.' chapel, 2623 Cherokee street. Motor. to St. Marcus' Cemetery. (c7)

MOECKEL—On Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, asleep in Jesus, Frieda I. Moeckel, dearly beloved daughter of Rudolph and Ida Moeckel, beloved sister of Rudolph Moeckel, and sister-in-law of Alice Moeckel (nee Marshall), and our dear aunt and niece, in her seventeenth year.

Funeral on Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., from residence, 4244 Chouteau avenue, to St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Newstead and Swan avenues. Interment at Concordia Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited. Carriages.

Chicago (Ill.) papers please copy.(c)

PURDY—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 22, 1918, at 3:35 p. m., Mary Jane Purdy (nee Little), relict of Richard Purdy and dear mother of Mrs. J. Weigel, Mrs. John Bloecher, Mrs Robert Keating and David, John and Lillian Purdy, and our dear mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother, after a lingering illness.

Funeral Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 2856 St. Louis avenue, thence to St. Peter's Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. Carriages. (c7)

DEATHS

MALLOY—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 12 a. m., Charles L. Malloy, our dear brother and cousin.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 6007 Clemens avenue, on Monday, Feb. 25, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Rose's Church thence to Calvary Cemetery. Motor. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

MOLLENKOFF—Entered into rest Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 9:30 a. m., Rene Mollenkoff, beloved son of Mrs. Mary Mollenkoff, and dear nephew of Mrs. Anna Haupt, aged 16 years.

Funeral from family residence, 3863 Cleveland avenue, Monday, Feb. 25, at 2:30 p. m., to Calvary Cemetery. Funeral private. Motor.

Baltimore (Md.) papers please copy.

MURPHY—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 2:20 a. m., Margaret Murphy, beloved wife of the late Michael Murphy and dear mother of Mary, Josephine, Richard, and the late John E. Murphy.

Funeral will take place from family residence, 3058 Sheridan avenue, on Monday, Feb. 25, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Alphonsus (Rock) Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Motor. Deceased was a member of the married Ladies of the Holy Family. (c7)

QUERENGUESSER—Otto Querenguesser, late of I. Company 2 U. S. Infantry, S. A. W., at 3:55 a. m., on Saturday, Feb. 16, 1918, at National Military Home at Kansas. Was interred on Tuesday, Feb. 19, at 9 a. m., with full military funeral. Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Querenguesser, dear father of Corine Malree, brother of Mrs. C. J. Dawson (nee Querenguesser), uncle of the late Helen Mick (nee Querenguesser), uncle of Oliver and Walter Mick.

RALPH—Entered into rest on Thursday, Feb. 21, 1918, at 9:55 p. m., John Ralph, dear father of Lizzie Sax (nee Ralph), Anna Klipich (nee Ralph), Rose Marcus (nee Ralph), John Ralph, Jr., Magdalena Ralph, Margaret Rubvich (nee Ralph), and Private Anthony Ralph, and our dear brother, father-in-law and grandfather, at the age of 61 years.

Funeral will take place from John Deiss' funeral parlors, 1509 Mallinckrodt street, on Monday, Feb. 25, at 8:30 a. m., to Holy Trinity Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Carriages. (c)

RAMSPERGER—On Feb. 22, 1918, at 8:40 a. m., Frank Ramsperger, dearly beloved son of Frank and Lilly Ramperger (nee Iflang), at the age of 2 years.

Funeral on Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 2210 Sidney street to St. Paul's Cemetery. Carriages. (c)

RICHARDSON—Entered into rest Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 1:30 p. m., at Ferguson, Mo., Fletcher Richardson, beloved brother of Misses Mamie and Hannah Richardson of Devon Hotel, and Robert Richardson of Shipman, Ill., and dear uncle of Corinne A. Secor, aged 56 years.

Funeral from Wagoner chapel, Monday, Feb. 25, at 2:30 p. m. Interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Ranson Post, G. A. R.

SAUNDERS—In Boston, Mass., Tuesday, Feb. 19, 1918, in his seventy-first year, Charles Gurley Saunders, Chancellor of the Diocese of Massachusetts of the Protestant Episcopal Church, for 20 years delegate from Massachusetts to the General Conventions of that church, President of the Harvard Musical Association of Boston, trustee of the New England Conservatory of Music, director of the Hoyston Oil Co.

SCHMID—Entered into rest on Saturday, February 23, 1918, 10:15 a. m., Alois Schmid, beloved father of Alois Jr., Della and Ferdinand Schmid and the late Isabella Giffel (nee Schmid), and brother of Ferdinand, Joseph and William Schmid and Isabella Vondach, (nee Schmid), and our dear brother-in-law and uncle, at the age of 56 years.

Funeral on Tuesday, February 26, 1918, at 2 p. m., from Clem Weick Sons' funeral parlors, 412 Duchouquette street to St. Paul's Cemetery. Motor.

Deceased was a member of Magnolia Camp, No. 394, W. O. W. (c1)

SCHNEIDER—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 10:45 a. m., Peter C. Schneider beloved husband of Elizabeth Schneider (nee Deininger), dear father of Edward Schneider, Mrs. J. Willi, Mrs. O. H. Vogt, Elsie, Emma and Otto Schneider, our dear father-in-law and grandfather, aged 68 years 7 months 29 days.

Funeral from family residence, 122 West Courtois street, on Tuesday, Feb. 26, to Columbia, Ill. Interment will take place at 2 p. m. Deceased was a member of Wald Camp, No. 204, W. of W. (c1)

SHAFFNER—On Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 4 a. m., Mrs. Harriett Shaffner, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Oudin, at the age of 80 years, after a brief illness of one week. Survived by two sons, Enos and Rube Shaffner, and two daughters, Mrs. E. C. Oudin and Mrs. W. I. Mayo.

Funeral from the residence of her son, Rube Shaffner, 2514 State street, Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery. (c7)

SHORT—On Thursday, Feb. 21, 1918, at 4 a. m., at residence, 1200A Hodiamont avenue, Kate Short, beloved wife of Henry R. Short, dear sister of Thomas Murray and our dear sister-in-law and daughter-in-law, in her thirty-sixth year.

Funeral Sunday, Feb. 24, at 2:30 p. m., from the George L. Pleitsch chapel, 5866 Easton avenue, to St. Peter's Cemetery. Motor. (c)

SULLIVAN—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 2 p. m., at his home, 3408 Park avenue, James Bailey (Marcey) Sullivan, beloved husband of Lula Sullivan (nee Moffett), in his sixty-sixth year.

Funeral from the residence on Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., to Bellefontaine Cemetery. (c)

TARTAR—Entered into rest on Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 9:10 a. m., Roy Philip Tartar, beloved son of Emanuel and Edna Tartar (nee Braun), and our dear grandchild, nephew and cousin, at the age of 9 months.

Funeral on Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 3321 South Eighteenth street, to New St. Marcus' Cemetery. Motor. (c)

WALSH—On Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, at 8 a. m., Ellen Walsh, sister of Sister Mary of the Order of St. Joseph and the late James and Austin Walsh.

Funeral will take place from the residence of her niece, Mrs. C. R. Webb, 5060 Wells avenue, on Monday, Feb. 25, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Mark's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Funeral private. Motor.

WILLIGE—Entered into rest on Friday, Feb. 22, 1918, Mary E. Willige (nee Schuler), dear beloved wife of Henry B. Willige, dear mother of Mrs. Emma Puets, our dear sister, dear mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother, in her sixty-fourth year.

Funeral on Sunday, Feb. 25, at 2:30 p. m., from Kriegshauser's chapel, 4103 Manchester avenue, to St. Peter's Cemetery. Interment private.(c)

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

Query for Sunday must be mailed a week beforehand.

A REMARKABLE FISH.

HOOK.—Carp came from Germany. Some States exempt them from their fish protection laws as nuisances. The carp in some places have conquered. Huge fellows—they often weigh 20 pounds apiece—they have driven out the little fellows to the disgust of anglers, and as they root up the mud in appetite for water vegetation and thereby pollute streams, the sanitarians are against them, too. Abhorred by the American fish eater, the carp have fattened and thriven like a privileged class and unless some very radical measures are generally adopted they will outlive their human enemies. Carp are said to live to be 200 years old. Thackeray moralized at Sans Souci over some carp he saw there which were said to have been fed by Frederick the Great. This was published in 1908: The German carp of our waters is taking the place of the buffalo to a great extent. Tons of these fish are sold in St. Louis every week. The fish dealers claim that they at times cannot supply the demand. The carp abounds in nearly all the waters that are tributary to the Mississippi. The Illinois River and adjacent sloughs and lakes furnish more carp for the Eastern market than people would imagine. Hundreds of car load lots are sent to New York and find a ready sale among the poor of the East Side, who consider the carp a fine table fish. Some of the dealers sell carp by another name. When addressed with his sucker head cut off he will have a ready sale as silver bass to the unsuspicious housewife, who doesn't know the difference. 224 men of the North American Fish and Game Protective Association and the fishery department of 3 provinces of Canada, were purposely deceived by being fed carp as red snapper, and the fish so being prepared that the deception was not discovered. The carp is hardy, very prolific, very free from parasites, grows rapidly to large size, and is easily handled and shipped. Its high percentage of protein, or muscle-building material, makes it an excellent substitute for beef or mutton, as its deficiency in fat can be entirely replaced by vegetables.

SAID OF NUTS.

VALENTINE.—Never use nuts as the main supply of food, but in company with more bulky foods. One authority says: Nuts are nature's meat and butter and can therefore be used with legumes in the place of both meat and butter. In a word, the bulk of our food should consist of fruit, vegetables and some of the less hearty cereals and bread, with a sparing use of proteid fats. An excess of proteid foods is responsible for serious diseases. Faith is a large factor, even in the matter of eating. One who believes implicitly that meat has a high nutritive value will feel satisfied after eating steak, with little else of real nourishment. But such a one, not knowing the value of nuts, would not realize that it takes only 3 walnut meats, or 8 pecan meats, or 14 blanched almond meats, to equal the 100 food units of the steak in question. Furthermore nuts are less expensive form of proteid than meat. Says Dr. Winfield S. Hall: "On a diet of peanuts and apples, assuming that these foods were taken abstemiously and were very thoroughly masticated—in fact, pulverized—the body would be maintained in a proper state of nutrition for an indefinite period." You can make a delicious and hearty luncheon dish by mixing ground chestnuts with mashed potato seasoned with butter or oil and such seasonings as paprika and onion. Inclose small cake of this mixture in pastry crust, bake and serve with mushroom or tomato sauce. Pecan is 70.7 per cent fat, 12.1 protein, 8.5 sugar, starch, etc. Masticate all nuts thoroughly (Try Department of Agriculture for caterpillar information.)

WAR TALK.

MISSOURI.—Write Navy Department.

G. A.—One cross-eye not accepted in draft.

DISTRESSED MOTHER.—Your Congressman or lawyer might take up the matter of discharging your son. Perhaps only an appeal to the President is the road—a very uncertain one. You would need strong reasons.

INTERESTED MOTHER.—Your Congressman or a lawyer might take up the matter of discharging your son. Perhaps only an appeal to the President is the road—a very uncertain one. You would need strong reasons.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ANNA W.—Write Motion Picture Magazine, New York.

KENTUCKY.—There is but one Secretary of the Navy. Salary $12,000.

READER.—Nearest osteopathic schools: Kirksville, Kansas City, Des Moines, Chicago.

OLD SUB.—We hope some reader will tell you how to put up crushed fruits and nuts to be used at a soda fountain.

ONE WHO BELIEVES IN JUSTICE.—Are you sure you have laid all the facts before the Excise Commissioner, with evidence?

TILLY.—"You all," applied to 6 persons, is correct. The best type of middle English prose is full of the expressions "we be alle," "they alle." Shakespeare uses the three forms, his preference being for the post position of "all." "We all were sea swallowed," Tempest, II, 1. 251. "You all do know this matle," Julius Ceasar, III, 2, 174. "I tell ye all I am your better," Henry VI, V, 5, 35. "They all have met again," Tempest, I, 2, 233. "Better it were they all came by the father." Richard III, 2, 3, 24. Bible translations have used it: "For one plague was on you all," I Samuel, VI:4. "We give thanks to God always for you all," 1st Thes., 1:2. "I speak not of you all," John, XIII:18.

H. W.—Ingersoll on Lincoln: Lincoln was the grandest figure of the fiercest civil war. He is the gentlest memory of our world. Strange mingling of mirth and tears, of the tragic and grotesque, of cap and crown, of Socrates and Rabelais, of Aesop and Marcus Aurelius, all that is gentle and just, humorous and honest, merciful, wise, laughable, lovable and divine, and all consecrated to the use of man; while through all, and over all, an overwhelming sense of obligation, of chivalric loyalty to truth, and upon all the shadow of the tragic end. Lincoln never finished his education. To the night of his death he was a pupil, a learner, an inquirer, a seeker after knowledge. You have no idea how many men are spoiled by what is called education. For the most part, colleges are places where pebbles are polished and diamonds are dimmed. If Shakespeare had graduated at Oxford, he might have been a quibbling attorney or a hypocritical parson. (Try Public Library for complete oration.)

DEATHS

WRIGHT—On Saturday, Feb. 23, 1918, Miss Jane D. Wright, at the residence of her nephew, 1567 Lewis avenue.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my deepest appreciation for the sympathy and floral offerings given by relatives and friends in my bereavement in the loss of my dear husband, Martin Bauer.

MRS. BAUER AND CHILDREN.

Card of Thanks.

We express our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends and Rev. Young and also United Railway employes, also Royal Arcanum, No. 2021 for their floral offerings.

MRS SOPHIA FRANK AND SISTER OF MARIE MOHRAN.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to the Rev. Klemme, the many friends for their beautiful floral offerings and kindness tendered us during the sad bereavement of our loving son, Walter Hohlt.

THE BEREAVED FAMILY. (c)

Card of Thanks.

We wish to sincerely thank our friends and relatives for their extension of sympathy and kindness in our late hours of sorrow in the death of our dear husband and kind father, Walter Coonon.

THE BEREAVED WIFE AND FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

Thanks are extended to the many friends of the late Edward Jasinski, for the beautiful floral offerings, also to pallbearers, young ladies assistservices.

JOSEPH AND SOPHIA JASINSKI AND FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their kind sympathy extended during our sad bereavement in the loss of our dear husband, son and brother, William Wolf; also the Rev. Eilts and Elk Camp, No. 277, W. O. W., Glassblowers' Union, No. 5, and Wacker-Heiderle, undertakers.

THE BEREAVED FAMILY. (c)

Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks and express our appreciation to our dear relatives and friends for their kind words and expressions of sympathy in our hour of sad bereavement in the loss of my beloved wife and our dear mother and daughter, Myrtle Sax; also to the Rev. Oberhellmann for his words of consolation and comfort; to Mrs. Kreager and Mr. Boettger for the appropriate hymns rendered; to the pallbearers and for the many beautiful floral offerings.

TONY SAX AND FAMILY. (c)

DEATHS

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us in our late bereavement in the loss of our dear wife and mother, Bernardino Grothmann; also to the Rev. Theodore Oberhelmann, to the pallbearers, for the beautiful floral offerings.

HENRY GROTHMANN AND FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for the many floral offerings and sympathy shown us in our sad bereavement in the death of our dear mother, wife and sister, Mrs. Malinde Sampler. We also wish to thank the Rev. Steward for his kind words of condolence.

THE BEREAVED FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us in our late bereavement of our beloved mother, mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother, Mrs. Franziska Steinlein; also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

THE BEREAVED FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

To our kind friends and relatives: Words cannot express our deep and sincere appreciation for the many favors and words of sympathy extended to us for the loss of our dear beloved mother. Special thanks are due the Rev. Pastor Jerry Johnson for his words of condolence and his lovely sermon at the burial; also the Misses Lillian and Laura Schmidt and Mr. Charles E. Blume Sr. for their exceptionally rendered vocal selections, and the services of the pallbearers and the many beautiful floral offerings for all of which we give our most sincere thanks.

MRS. M. LANGTIN. RUDOLPH OTTO.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our relatives and many friends for the sympathy and kindness shown us in the death of our beloved son and brother, Thomas Riley Berkley, and for the beautiful floral offerings. Also the members of the M. M. B. A. band; the Lady of Good Council Choir; Mr. George Deveraux, Leo Feist and Joe Morris, quartet; Lieut. Wilson and navy escorts; the Rev. Fathers Watson, Westhus, Kinney, Lonergan and Lynch; the Police Department of the 5th district; the Navy Department for the great care in preparing and shipping the remains. Also Mr. Charles Hermann for the magnificent manner in which he handled the funeral.

MR AND MRS. THOS. H. BERKLEY, BESSIE, MAY, MARIE AND WILLIE.

DEATHS

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere heartfelt thanks to our relatives and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us in our sad bereavement in the loss of our dear mother, Mary Bauer, and especially for the many beautiful floral offerings.

JOHN D. BAUER, SISTERS AND BROTHERS.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to relatives and friends, also to the Rev. F. L. Mahle; also Salem M. E. Sunday School and pallbearers, shown us in the sad loss of our dear son.

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM A. PAHL AND FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for the sympathy shown us in our recent sad bereavement in the loss of my dear husband and our father; to the Standard Council, No. 559, National Union, German Military Society of South St. Louis, Anheuser-Busch Relief Association, associates at the Anheuser-Busch Brewery and Victor Operators; also for the beautiful floral pieces and the Rev. Drees for his consoling sermon.

MRS. GRAUEL AND DAUGHTERS.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all our relatives, friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us in our sudden sad bereavement in the loss of my beloved son, grandson, brother and nephew, Edward Ganser. We wish to thank Mr. Auler for the consoling words, Sister Anna and Miss Hackman for their kindness, the Carpenters' Union for their service as pallbearers and also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

BEREAVED MOTHER AND GRANDMOTHER.

In Memoriam.

The memory of Elmore Jr. Nichols, dear son and brother, will be cherished forever by his bereaved

Parents, Brother, Friends and Associate Musicians. Feb. 20, 1911.

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of Jack Zintel, who departed this life one year ago, Feb. 23, 1917. Sadly missed by wife,

ANNA ZINTEL.

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of our dear mother, Sarah L. Radomsky, who passed away Feb. 22, 1916.

HER LOVING CHILDREN. (c)

In Memoriam.

In memory of my beloved husband and dear father, Ed Kiessling, who departed this life two years ago, Feb. 23, 1916. Sadly missed by

MRS. ED KIESSLING AND SONS.

In Memoriam.

Silently the shades of evening
Gather round our lonely door.
Silently they bring before us
The dear face we see no more.
So often we go to your grave
Lingering there and trying to be brave,
But, oh, it's hard to bear
To go away and leave you there.

In memory of Mrs. Emma Huff (nee Reiss). Sadly missed by

SISTER AND FATHER. (c)

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of our dear father, George Deffaa who departed this life one year ago, February 24, 1917. The month of February is again here, to us the saddest month of all the year. It took from us upon the 24th day, our dear father, who for a passage and while he rests in peaceful sleep, his memory we will always keep. Sadly missed by

WIFE AND CH

ADOPTION

ADOPTION Wtd.—Healthy baby wanted. 3800 West Pine bl.

FOR ADOPTION—Beautiful baby boy of excellent parentage. Box B-23, Post-Dis.

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ADOPTION—Childless couple would like to adopt girl about 3 years old. 3622A Dodier. Lindell 3388W. (c60)

FOR ADOPTION—Baby boy, white, one month old. Call at Statler Hotel, at linen room, for Mrs. Robertson.

ADOPTION—Wanted, baby to raise or adopt, as desired; infant preferred; consideration. wanted: cultured, refined home, ideal location, out of city; correspondence private; best references. Box J-3, Post-Dispatch. (99)

COMING EVENTS.

ENTERTAINMENT given by Ad-Astra Review 69, Tuesday, Feb. 26, 2 p. m. Del-Van Hall, Delmar and Vandeventer.

LODGES

WOODMEN'S Circle members; school of instruction held at Knights of Columbus Hall, 3949 Olive st., Monday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m. C. M. Kelly, instructor. (c)

SPECIAL NOTICES

$10 REWARD for information leading to the arrest and conviction of parties who damaged store front, 3146 Chouteau av., with automobile, Saturday night, Feb. 16. C. M. McDONALD R. E. CO., 1111 Chestnut.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Louise Mauer. CHAS MAUER, 5585A Easton av.

DIVIDEND NOTICES

DIVIDEND NOTICE—At a meeting of the board of directors of this company, held today, there was declared a dividend of $1.50 per share on the common stock, payable March 1, 1918, to stockholders of record Feb. 20, 1918. BROWN SHOE CO., Inc., William Krull, Secretary.

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Solid agate, 15c line; minimum 3 lines. Discount 1c per line on three or more insertions.

CARPET CLEANING—UPHOLST'G

AMERICAN CARPET CLEANING CO.—Carpets renovated like new. 2821 Easton. Central 4273, Bomont 946. (c23x)

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REPAIRS for any "old chair." National Chair Co., 801 S. Main st. Both phones.(c62)

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ST. LOUIS Pressing, Dyeing and Cleaning Co., Spring and Olive; superior work. Try us. (c99)

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ARTISTIC and serviceable rugs made, any size, from worn carpets or rugs. Chicago Rug Mfg. Co., 3135 Olive. Bomont 358. (c99)

COLONIAL rag rugs, pillow covers, laundry bags, any size and style; also silk weaving. Jewel Rug Co., 3906 Easton av. Cabany 2959. (c99)

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES

ALUMINUM soldered, repaired and handles put on; do not throw them away; bring them to us; we make them like new. M. Krinzer, Brearmore, 3549 Arsenal st., 3 doors east of Grand av. (c4)

ATTENTION—I buy, trade, sell barrains; line phone, umbrella glass, china, granite, aluminum, soldering, etc. Wilson's, 1222 Pendleton.

FOR carpenter work, house repairs, call Forster 2854W. Carpenter, 4254 Von Versen. (c23)

BRICK WORK, plastering, tuck pointing wanted; best work; reasonable prices. Brisa, 1906 Hebert.

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OLD HOUSE WIRING—For the next 30 days with extra special 6 rooms for $16.50. Call Delmar 3677L. (c)

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TIN, galvanized and light sheet iron; any kind for the hauling. Central 5754L. 1925 Papin.

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THE C. K. Window and Housecleaning Co. let me do your work. 5001 Cass. Lindell 4006.

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With fixtures, $25. J. D. Electric Co., licensed Electrical Contractors. Central 0129X. 2532 N. Grand av. (c99)

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I make a specialty of fitting trusses, abdominal supporters, elastic stockings, etc. 27 years in business. OTTO F. KERSCHEL, 209 Mermod-Jaccard Bldg., Broadway and Locust St. Louis. (c99)

5 Rooms With Fixtures

$37.50 will wire five rooms with nine fixtures. Six months to pay. COLUMBIA ELECTRIC COMPANY. Phone Olive 2737. 1109 Pine st. (c99)

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Coupon. This week only. To advertise our studio we will make for anyone presenting this coupon 4 large folder photographs for one. This is an honest offer; no scheme, all pictures artistically finished. This coupon good for babies, children or adults sittings made any day this week, including today and next Sunday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. HARRIS STUDIO, Liberty Bldg., Broadway and Olive. No sittings at above rate without this coupon.

STORAGE AND MOVING

PERMANENT HAULING Wtd.—With 3½-ton truck. Box K-196, Post-Dispatch.

MOVING, storage and packing by contract; furniture in exchange. Belmor, Central 4231R, Olive 3727. (c14)

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CALL, Olive Co., 4035 Easton, for better service; moving, packing, shipping piano part especially. Delmar 3980; Lindell 4886. (c)

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FOR ADOPTION—Baby boy, white, one month old. Call at Statler Hotel, at linen room, for Mrs. Robertson.

ADOPTION—Wanted, baby to raise or adopt, as desired; infant preferred; consideration. wanted: cultured, refined home, ideal location, out of city; correspondence private; best references. Box J-3, Post-Dispatch. (99)

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INTERIOR decorating, paper hanging, J. J. Brownley, 741 Walton. Forest 7287.

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BOOK BUILDERS—On automobile hearse bodies; apply McCabe-Powers Carriage Co., 1217 N. Broadway. (c1)

BOOKBINDER—With paper cutter experience. Pearlstone Bindery, 1110 Pine. (c62)

BOOKKEEPER—Two; state experience and salary. Box L-345, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOOKKEEPER—Write experience, reference, age, salary required. Box B-18, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOOKKEEPER—Able to take charge bookkeeping department; want man exempt; salary $100. Box L-344, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOOKKEEPER—To assist on books and general work; fine opportunity; state references, experience and salary expected. Box L-99, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOOKKEEPER—Life insurance experience, to take charge of office; to start $125. See Mr. McCann, Suite 1869 Railway Exchange Bldg.

BOOKKEEPER—Automobile experience; one capable using typewriter. Address, giving age, experience and references. Box L-119, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOOKKEEPER—Take charge of small office; must understand making of financial statement and have good idea of system; good chance for advancement. Box K-37, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOOKKEEPER—Excellent opportunity for experienced; to learn business and take charge of office; no application considered without full record, references and salary stated. Box K-72, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOOKKEEPER-ACCOUNTANT-CASHIER—Capable of taking charge of the financial department of a local monthly magazine; state experience, salary expected and when services will be available; experience in publishing business not necessary but desirable. Box K-127, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOOKKEEPER—A well-educated, ambitious bookkeeper capable of preparing financial statements wanted for general offices of a St. Louis manufacturing concern; $35 to start; good opportunity for advancement; married man who has studied high accounting and is at least 25 years of age preferred; state experience, etc. Box K-130, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOX NAILERS—Experienced. Apply F. C. Murphy Trunk Co., 13th and Papin. (c)

BOY—At 1439 N. 13th st. (c2)

BOYS—415 Walnut st. (c)

BOYS—16 years old. 2211 Chestnut. (c)

BOYS—For delivery, 315 N. Main. (c37)

BOYS—Apply Postal Telegraph, 313 N. 9th.

BOY—Colored; as porter; to work after school. Clay and Lexington aves.

BOYS—16 years old, in stockroom. Hesse Envelope and Litho Co., 501 N. 1st st. (c)

BOY—Graham Plumbing and Heating Co., 1356 Academy av. (c)

BOY—Railroad office; good chance for advancement. Box B-242, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—To learn carpenter trade. 4430 Arsenal. Hederacke.

BOY—Young; for Saturday work only. Call room 204, Republic bldg. (c)

BOY—About 18 years, as order clerk. Apply 508 N. Commercial. (c)

BOY—About 18, drug store. 4101 Shenandoah av. (c)

BOY—14 to 16, for plumbing shop. Apply 317 De Baliviere. (c)

BOY—About 16, to work in drug store. Spring and Juniata.

BOY—To work in meat market. 911 Academy av.

BOY—To work in drug store. 2280 S. Jefferson.

BOY—Colored, for night work, one who understands switch board. 4045 Lindell. (c)

BOY—To run errands in tailor shop. Ostel, 102 N. 3d st. (1)

BOYS—To learn machinist trade. Call 3829 West Pine. (c)

BOY—Colored, about 18 or 20 years. Leader Laundry, 2215 Texas. (c)

BOY—To feed press. Apply Edw. Westen Tea and Spice Co., 1600 Clark. (c)

BOYS—16 years old; to work in shop; no experience necessary. 415 Lucas av. (c)

BOY—To learn drug business; about 18 years. Jantzen, 4401 Olive. (c)

BOY—Learn jewelery mfg. trade; pay while learning. 408 Globe-Democrat Bldg.

BOY—Given 800 business education, $20 and services. Box T-95, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—To work in drug store; references. Box K-18, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—To help at factory. Apply Frelich Suit and Shirt Co., 1000 Locust. 8th fl. (c)

BOY—To learn pattern making; 16 to 17 years of age. Box T-350, Post-Dis. (c)

BOYS—Strong and willing. Battery Shop, 4078 Easton.

BOYS—Strong; $1.50 per day; steady work. Apply Union Candy Co., 215 Chestnut. (c)

BOYS—To work in candy factory. Curtis-Ireland, 24 S. 1st st. (c)

BOYS—16 years and over. Hazer Hinge Co., 2401 De Kalb.

BOY—Jewish, to work in gents' furnishing store, from 16 to 18 years old. Apply H. Sigoloff, 1220 Franklin av.

BOYS—To learn trade in metal machine shop. Apply American Fixture and Showcase Co., 1000 Lucas. (c)

BOY—Between 16 and 18 years old. Apply at once, 3d floor. David Cohen Hat Co., 1406 Locust.

BOY—About 16 to work in drug store, 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Sum's Pharmacy, Grand and Wyoming.

BOY—Bright, to work in office of electrical contractor and to learn the trade. Box K-200, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOY—Neat and clean; work in grocery store; good pay for good boy. 2900 Franklin. Call Monday.

BOYS—Over 16 years of age. Apply Koenig Broom Mfg. Co., 925 Brooklyn st.; rear building. (c1)

BOY—Used job press and run errands; 18 years or over. Star Printing Co., 409 N. Third.

BOY—About 16 years of age; for factory work. Apply Mr. Hixon, 3d floor. Kingsbrinsmade, 1701, Washington.

BOY—To work around foundry and learn trade. Modern Brass Foundry Co., 9th and Howard.

BOYS—FOR LIGHT FACTORY WORK; NO MACHINERY. MISSOURI FEATHER CO., 1908 Pine.

BOY—For office work and errands; good chance for advancement. Box B-95, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Active, about 16, for filing newspapers and general office work; $7 per week. Box B-94, Post-Dispatch.

BOYS—Must be over 16 years of age. Apply timekeeper, Woodward & Tiernan Printing Co., 300 N. 3d st.

BOYS—Two, steady, to make themselves useful in glove factory; $7.50 per week to start. Box B-238, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—16 and over, to learn. Central Electrical Dept., Brown Shoe Co., 17th and Lucas.

BOYS—Several, to learn in light leather goods factory; $6 per week at start. Box L-231, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOY—In retail coffee and tea store; reference require; salary $7; position steady. Call 801 Franklin. (c)

BOY—16 years old; must be bright and quick to learn. Apply Shapleigh Hardware Co. (c5)

BOY—Good, about 14 years old, in jewelry store; $5 week; references required. Box T-110, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOY—To drive Ford truck; 18 years old; bring reference. Call 5029A Ridge, Sunday morning.

BOYS—Colored, for factory work, from 16 to 18 years old. International Package Co., 907 S. 23d st. (c)

BOY—To run errands; call Sunday or Monday morning. S. A. Windsperger, Printing, 514 Pine st., 3d floor. (c)

BOY—Experienced, between ages of 18 and 19, to work in stock. Apply 4th floor, Marquette Cloak and Suit Co., 1600 Washington.

BOYS—For factory work; 16 years or older. W. M. Matthews & Bros., 3722 Forest Park. (c)

BOY—16 to 18 years old; good wages. Ziegler-Frankel Mfg. Co., 1408 Locust st., 5th floor. (c)

BOY—Errand boy, over 16 years; $6.50 to start; light work; new bicycle furnished; permanent. Ross-Gould, 309 N. 10th. (c)

BOY—Experienced in drug store; come ready for work Sunday, 10 a. m. Schwerdtman, 6000 Delmar bl.

BOYS—Two, for commercial photograph studio. Apply Monday, 8 a. m. Eugene Taylor, 1719 International Life Bldg., 8th and Chestnut sts.

BOY—About 19 or 20 years of age, for work in ladies' hat factory. Apply to Mr. Epperson, 3d floor, 1701 Washington. King-Brinsmade. (c1)

BOY—About 16, for stock dept.; wholesale house; experience not necessary; good chance for advancement. Box T-125, P.-D. (c)

BOYS—16, to learn making buttons; $6 while learning; good chance for advancement. 801 Mermod-Jaccard Bldg. (c)

BOYS—To learn in finishing room. Apply International Shoe Co., Jefferson and St. Louis ave. (c)

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COCOANUT FOREMAN—ONE EXPERIENCED IN HANDLING HELP; MUST UNDERSTAND MANUFACTURE OF COCOANUT AND JAP-COCOANUT WORK; GOOD PROPOSITION TO RIGHT MAN. PECKHAM FACTORY, 701 SPRUCE. (c)

COFFEE ROASTER—Must be reliable and experienced man. Haas-Lieber Grocery Co., 9th and Clark. (c)

COFFEE PACKER—For barrels and bags; experienced man; good wages for right party. Johnson-Layne Coffee Co., 4th and Elm. (c)

COLLECTOR—With lumber salesman ability. Andrew Schaefer, Chariess and Natural Bridge. (c)

COMPOSITOR—Good two-thirder, steady and reliable; private shop. Box T-168, P.-D.

COPPERSMITHS — Experienced; steady work; 62½c per hour. AUFRICHTIG COPPER & SHEET IRON WORKS, 3rd and Lombard. (c)

COOK—Experienced, 105 N. 6th st. (c)

COOKS—Short order; young men. Apply 10:30 a. m., Room 307 Union Station. (c)

COOK—Middle-aged woman wishes position as cook or general work; will do the washing and ironing; good cook; willing worker; willing to leave city; please state wages given. Box B-186, Post-Dispatch.

CUSHION MACHINE MAN—Good pay; permanent work. Commercial Auto Body Co., 16th and Pine. (c)

CUTTER—Experienced, ladies' shirt waists; must be capable; absolutely guaranteed permanent to right man. N. Friedman & Sons Cloak Co., 1235 Washington. (c)

CUTTER AND HANGER—Shade, experienced. Apply Superintendent, B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO., Broadway and Washington.

DENTIST—First-class operator; registered in Missouri. Box L-375, Post-Dispatch.

DIEMAKER—Expert; best of references, on Government work; wages $8 per day. All answers confidential. Box L-358, Post-Dis. (c)

DISHWASHER—Samelson's, 4828 Delmar.

DISHWASHER—Man or woman handy in kitchen. Albany Hotel, 4873 Page.

DISHWASHER—Morris Kellner, 1309 Franklin av.

DISHWASHER—$8 per week; no Sunday work. Call at Planters Lunchroom, 4th and Pine.

DRIVER—Experienced; two-horse wagon. Call at once, 1534 N. 14th st. (c)

DRAFTSMAN—Mechanical, experienced in machine designs. Apply to chief draftsman, Wagner Electric Mfg. Co., 6400 Plymouth. (c)

DRILL PRESS HANDS — ST. LOUIS CAR CO., 8000 North Broadway. (c7)

DRIVER—For 1-horse wagon. 1708A Bacon.

DRIVER—Apply Groebel Dyeing and Cleaning Co., 2623 Gravois. (c7)

DRIVERS—For ice wagon. Apply 3916 Laclede.

DRIVER—For wholesale grocery wagon. 1434 N. 23d st. (c)

DRIVERS—$2.25 per day. Monday a. m. 4100 Gravois. M. Federer.

DRIVER—To haul structural iron works. Gerst Bros., 800 Cass. (c)

DRIVER—Experienced laundry; references and $50 cash bond required. Box J-155, Post-Dispatch. (c)

DRIVER—With horse and wagon; for light hauling. International Package Co., 907 S. 22d st. (c)

DRUG CLERK—Registered Illinois. Address F. V. Kniest, Omaha, Neb. (c)

DRUG CLERK—Registered. Apply 4101 Shenandoah.

DRUG CLERK—2 or 3 years' experience. Lehman's Drug Store, 2601 Washington.

DRUG CLERK—Registered; over 31; North St. Louis drug store; good opening for right man. Box T-177, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK—Registered; state age, salary expected, experience and references; position open March 1. Box K-68, P.-D.

DRUG CLERKS—Registered and juniors, to attend retail clerks' union meeting, Sunday, Feb. 24, 1918, 1:30 p. m., Aschenbroedel Hall, 3535 Pine st.

DRUG CLERK—Experienced; 90 miles from St. Louis; reliable and hustler; good pay and opportunity. Address Rexall Store, Chesterdale, Ill.

DRY GOODS BUYER.

Christian man with wide experience in retail dry goods trade to qualify in department store. Must have initiative judgment, a clean past record and the ability to direct selling plans in a number of out-of-town stores. Position permanent, opportunity exceptional. State age, concerning completed by ... and salary. Box W-405, Post-Dispatch. (c)

ELDERLY MAN—For light office work; easy hours; state salary. Box T-202, Post-Dis.

ELECTRICIAN—Wanted at once for large industrial plants; steady work. Box R-52, Post-Dispatch.

ELECTRICIAN—State experience, wages, phone number and where been employed. Box B-54, Post-Dispatch.

WE NEED SEVERAL HUNDRED TELEPHONE ELECTRICIANS

Steady employment. Good wages.
Liberal sickness, disability and pension plan.

Ages 19 to 35 years. Good opportunity for rapid advancement. No experience necessary.
We will teach you at our expense, with full pay while learning.
Write or apply in person, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., 803 Lucas Av., St. Louis, Mo.
WESTERN ELECTRIC COMPANY, Inc.
Training School for Installers. (c)

ELEVATOR BOY—Colored; 18 or 20 years old. Century Millinery Co., 615 N. Broadway.

ELEVATOR BOYS—Experienced, colored. Delmar Bldg., 706 N. King's highway; apply Monday. Room 226. (c)

ENGINEER—Licensed, night, for manufacturing plant; state experience, age and salary expected. Box B-379, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Experienced, for small institution references required; desirable position for a single, middle-aged man; Jewish ... Call Kinloch Clayton 2300. (c)

ENGINEER—Licensed, to fire boiler; no engine, also for repair work; life job for right man; $100 month; references. Box T-23, Post-Dispatch. (c)

ENGRAVER—For high-class jewelry store, capable of handling all classes of work, such as lettering, monogram and stationery die cutting; no other branch of work necessary; permanent position; send sample work and state salary in first application. Apply Albert Pfeifer & Bro., Little Rock, Ark. (c)

ERAND BOY—14 to 16; references required. 415 Lucas av. (c)

ERRAND BOY—Evenings, 5 to 10. Stedlitz & Bauser Drug Store, 862 N. Boyle.

ERRAND BOY—And tobacco stripper; call Monday. L. Langeneckert, 2022 S. Broadway.

FARMER—Having experience with livestock and dairying; married; no children; house rent, fuel, milk and vegetables; salary according to worth. Griswold, 15 N. 8th st.

FARMHAND—A1; positively must be capable; if not, don't call. Call today at the Benton Hotel, 819 Pine st., from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m.

FARM HAND—Good, competent. Apply after 6 p. m., 2018 Blendon pl.

FARMER—Experienced, reliable; to take charge of small farm; single middle-aged man preferred; references. Jewish Home, Fee Fee rd. (c)

FARM HAND—Married man to do general farm work, St. Charles County farm; 3-room house, milk, chickens, garden and meat; $35 per month; state experience, size of family and ages. Box L-174, Post-Dis. (c83)

FELLING HANDS—To work on men's coats. 200 N. 7th, 3d floor. J. W. Silverstein.

FINISHER—First-class, experienced, on antique furniture; sober man only. 4632 Delmar. (c)

FINISHERS—Experienced, on custom paint; must make buttonholes; wages from $12 to $15 per week. 1729 Franklin.

FIREMAN—For night green houses. Schray, 4101 Pennsylvania. (c1)

FIREMAN—For room and wages; elderly man preferred. 1520 Locust.

FIREMAN—Experienced down draft. Apply Ely & Walker Shirt Factory, 8th and Hickory. (c)

FIREMAN—For down draft boilers; apply immediately, 5842 Garfield. American Packing Co. (c7)

FIREMAN—Steady employment to reliable man. Apply engineer, Cupples Station, Light, Heat and Power Co., 8th and Poplar.

FIREMAN—White, married man, who thoroughly understands firing a Kewanee downdraft, low-pressure boiler; wages $60 per month; house rent free; city references required. Call Sayman Building, 2117 Franklin av. (c)

FITTERS—Reamer men and laborers; steel car work; steady employment. Apply WHARF & ST. GEORGE. (c1)

FORD MECHANIC—First-class; apply Sunday morning, Ayres Auto Co., 1418 N. King's highway.

FOREMAN—Experienced, to take charge of large cabinet shop; manufacturing office, store and bank fixtures; must have cabinet shop experience and be fairly competent; state references. Box T-141, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FOUNDRY LABORERS—STEADY MEN. APPLY 4327 POPE. (c2)

FRAME NAILERS—Also box nailers, in sash and door factory. Apply northwest corner Ohio and Sidney. (c)

FREIGHT TRUCKERS—Apply Central Transfer Co., 2d and Spruce. (c)

FREIGHT HANDLERS—APPLY 7 A. M. COLUMBIA TRANSFER CO., 2D AND LA SALLE STS.

GREEK INTERPRETER—Must be well educated. Box W-140, Post-Dispatch.

GRINDER HANDS—On Norton and Landis machines; highest wages and best shop conditions; new factory limits; room for steady workmen; we want good mechanics who will stick; apply by letter, stating experience. Box W-303, Post-Dispatch. (c)

GROCERY CLERKS—Two; experienced; with references. Box T-15, Post-Dis. (c)

GROCERY CLERK—Experienced. 2802 Marcus. (c7)

GROCERY CLERK—Good position open to experienced, honest, steady, reliable worker. Hembey, 1407 N. Grand. (c)

HANDY MEN—Also laborers for warehouse; steady inside work; wages $13.65 to $14.65 per week. Factory, 5027 Kennerly av. (c)

HARNESS CUTTERS—P. Burns Saddlery Co., 112 Lucas. (c)

HARDWARE CLERK—Experienced; good opening for right man. Box T-26, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

HELPER—To work around machine shop and drive wagon. 3408 N. 22d st.

HELPER—For warehouse. Call Lammert Furniture Co., 10th and Washington. (c)

HELPER—Steady work. Commercial Auto Body Co., 16th and Pine. (c)

HELPERS—And laborers, around structural iron works. Gerst Bros., 800 Cass.

HOG BUTCHERS — HEIL PACKING CO., MISSOURI AND LA SALLE. (c)

HORSESHOER—Fire work; $5 day. 737 1st st., East St. Louis.

HORSESHOER—And general blacksmith; steady job to right man; state wages wanted. J. A. Rhea, Neoga, Ill. (8)

HOTEL CLERK—Must be experienced; downtown hotel; single man preferred. Box K-79, Post-Dispatch. (c)

HOTEL NIGHT CLERK—Courteous and sober; 6 days a week; $70 month. Star Cleaning Co., 2253 N. Grand.

HOUSEMAN—Colored, 4145 Lindell. (c)

HOUSEMAN—Colored, experienced; references required. 27 Washington terrace. (c)

HOUSEMAN—Experienced. 3895 Westminster. (c)

HOUSEMAN—Colored preferred; references, 37 Portland pl. (c)

HOUSEMAN—Experienced, and thoroughly experienced linenroom woman. Maryland Hotel, 9th and Pine. (c)

ICE WAGON DRIVER—First-class. Box T-8, Post-Dispatch. (c)

JANITOR—Experienced; sober, married, without children, for apartment. Cabany, 4719W.

JANITOR—White man and wife as janitor of St. Louis drug store; good position for right man. Box T-177, Post-Dispatch.

JANITORS—Colored; must have reference. Apply room 506, Victoria Bldg., 8th and Locust.

JANITOR—Colored, for 2 6-family apartment buildings; $45 month; references required. Box L-340, Post-Dispatch. (c)

JAPANNER—For large automobile shop; one who understands American Ideal boiler. Give references and wages expected. Box T-325, Post-Dispatch. (c)

JEWELERS—First-class, on repair work; steady employment. Kennedy & Co., 202 Oriel Bldg.

JEWELER—Good; first-class allround man. Master Jewelry Mfg. Co., Columbia Bldg., 8th and Locust. (c)

JOB COMPOSITOR—One who can make up forms; must be steady and reliable; reference required; steady position guaranteed to the right party. Box L-172, Post-Dis.

JOB PRESS FEEDERS. General Printing Co., 1011 Morgan st. (c1)

JOB PRESS FEEDERS—Steady position; highest wages. Apply 113 N. 8th. (c)

JOB PRESS FEEDERS—Steady position, good pay. 2d floor, 113 N. 8th. (c)

JOB PRESS FEEDERS—Hesse Envelope and Litho Co., 501 N. 1st st. (c)

JOB PRESS FEEDER—Hart-Auer Special Co., 208 Pontiac Bldg., 7th and Market. (c1)

JOB PRESS FEEDER—Best weekly steady work. Interstate Printing Co., 3935 Lasclede. (c)

JOB PRESSMAN—Steady position; state wages wanted; good chance for advancement. Box R-250, Post-Dispatch.

KODAK PRINTER—By well established studio, or good amateur; state salary, experience. Box T-115, Post-Dispatch. (c)

LABORERS—Two, 2544 N. Grand.

LABORERS—Two, 204 S. 2d st.

LABORERS—Two; Second and Ashley. (c5)

LABORERS—Two, National Paper Co., Main and Brooklyn.

LABORERS—And lumber pilers. St. Louis Car Co., 5000 N. Broadway. (c)

LABORERS—Excavating, 3664 Gravois, Monday morning. (c)

LABORERS—White or colored; 25c per hour. Grand and Hickory. Eyermann Const. Co.

LABORERS—And quarrymen at quarry, Wall st. and Lude av., Maplewood; steady work; good pay. Big Bend Quarry Co. (c2)

LABORERS—In lumber yard. Apply Wm. F. Goessling Box Co., Blair and Mullanphy. (c2)

LABORERS—Several, for night work; apply 6:30 p. m. Steffe Refrigerating and Cold Storage Co., Lewis and O'Fallon. (c1)

LABORERS—White or colored; money every night; quarry, Blair and Penrose. Perkinson Bros.

LABORERS—Piecework and day work. Apply at once, Midland Creosoting Co., 2d and O'Fallon & St. L. R. Granite City, Ill.

LABORERS—To do packing-house work. Apply at the time office, 7 a. m. Monday. St. Louis Independent Packing Co., 3557 Chouteau av.

L-A-B-O-R-E-R-S,
White and Colored.
NATIONAL LEAD CO.,
5548 Manchester. (c37)

LABORERS—25, good; Sunday morning, 7 a. m., northeast corner 6th and Locust; money any time. Andrew Schaefer Supply and Wrecking Co. (c)

LABORERS—In cold storage warehouse; steady position to good man; 25c to 30c per hour; ask for Pelican, St. Louis Refrigerating and Cold Storage Co., Lewis and O'Fallon.

LABORERS — Apply HELMBACHER ROLLING MILLS, Barton and De Kalb. (c7)

LADIES' TAILOR—$25 week and up. Mermod & Jaccard Bldg.

LADIES' TAILOR—Experienced. Jacob Manse, 709 Washington. (c)

LANDSCAPE GARDENER—Thoroughly experienced in trimming trees and shrubs; Lasclede 3273. Call Monday morning or Sunday before 11. (c)

LATHE HANDS—On American and Lodge and Shipley lathes; highest wages and best shop conditions; new factory; lifetime job for steady workmen; we want good mechanics who will stick; apply by letter, stating experience. Box W-302, Post-Dispatch.

LEDGER CLERK—Married man, under 30; must be experienced, write good hand, fast and accurate in posting and handling figures; salary to start, $75, with good future; give age and experience in reply. Box W-284, Post-Dispatch.

LINOTYPE OPERATOR—Nonunion; steady. News-Times, Webster Groves, Mo.

Licensed Engineer Wanted

With practical experience, to take charge of machinery and electrical equipment; must be aggressive and capable of taking charge of helpers; state references and salary expected; excellent opportunity for right man. Box T-116, Post-Dispatch. (c)

LINOTYPE OPERATORS—Several above average; union; steady work; good wages; state experience. Address superintendent, care Guenther-Bradford & Co., 64 W. Randolph st., Chicago.

LUMBER INSPECTOR — Must have thorough knowledge of National hardwood, Southern pine, association rules of instruction. ST. LOUIS CAR CO., 8000 N. Broadway. (c3)

LUMBER PILERS—Apply 145 Carroll. (c14)

LUMBER PILERS—Apply at once, Columbia Box Co. lumber yard, 2d and Palm. (c8)

LUMBER PILERS—And lumber yard laborers. Apply northwest corner Ohio and Sidney. (c)

LUMBER SAWYER—To run circular sawmill. Andrew Schaefer Wrecking Co., Clarence and Natural Bridge. (c)

LUNCH MAN—1501 Tower Grove.

MACHINIST—With experience on paper bag bottoming machine. T-340, Post-Dis.

MACHINIST—Some experience in tool and die works. 4100 N. 27th st.

MACHINIST—Two, allround; good pay for A1 mechanics; 8 hours' working time. Call or write Otto Eick Shop, Broadway and Utah.

MACHINISTS—Opening for several experienced general purpose mechanics. Adolph Baumann, 9th and Victor.

MACHINISTS—With can-making experience; steady work at good wages; describe yourself and your experience. Box T-120, P.-D.

MACHINISTS—First-class, allround man; 60c an hour; exceptional opportunity for competent man; give age and experience. Box W-259, Post-Dispatch.

MACHINIST ALSO EXPERIENCED LATHE HAND, TOOL MAKERS, MILLING MACHINE HANDS. DORRIS MOTOR CAR CO., 4100 LACLEDE AV. (c3)

MACHINIST—And millwright, for general repairs and factory maintenance; good wages; easy hours; steady work; must be sober and reliable; under 45 years old. Box L-62, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MACHINISTS—Two young men with 2 or 3 years' experience, to finish learning the machinist and engraving trade; state where you have worked, kind of work and wages Box O-295, Post-Dispatch.

MAIL ORDER OFFICE MAN.

Progressive concern in accessible city has vacancy for a Christian man between 30 and 35. He must have a general experience in handling mail and in clerical work and supervision of female clerks. The opportunity is unusual for man now holding a similar position who can show ability. Write details in application, including age, married or single, experience and wages in previous positions. Box L-419, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAIL ORDER MAN.

A rapidly expanding out-of-town concern can utilize the services of experienced man, familiar with the general merchandise details of a mail order business. Essentials: Good education, forceful character and the ability to think clearly and logically and a vision broad enough to appreciate the future offered in the mail order business. Past record must bear right reference investigation. Future salary will be based on ability to handle increased volume at reasonable operating expense. Will give first consideration to those who are at present employed, but feel they have reached the limit of advancement. Application entirely confidential. State age, concerns previously employed by and wages. Box W-135, P.-D. (c)

MAN—Handy around flats; wife answer telephone; free rooms. Today, 1712 Glasgow.

MAN—Young; not over 18, fair education. Box B-84, Post-Dispatch. (1)

MAN—Elderly, for general work; tools, etc.; home, clothing, cash. Room C, Odeon.

MAN—Between 21 and 30. 615 St. Charles; call Monday morning.

MAN—Sober, experienced, in liquor bottling department. 515 Clark. (c)

MAN—To assist in office; give age, reference, experience and salary. Box K-7, P.-D. (c)

MAN—To do heavy work; good position for right party. Box T-34, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

MAN—To fill orders, wholesale shoe house; state age. Box L-214, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—Elderly; neat appearance; light work; $12 per week. Box T-81, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Able-bodied, to work in shipping room or warehouse. Box T-32, Post-Dispatch (c)

MAN—On private place; one cow. 4850 S. Broadway.

MAN—Good, work on farm; call Monday, 1 p. m. to 7 p. m. 2917 N. Vandeventer.

MAN—Experienced in grinding castings. Monday early. 4100 N. 21st st.

MAN—Experienced, on paper bottoming machine. Box T-224, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—Young, office work; references and salary expected. Box T-161, Post-Dis.

MAN—Trimming trees, all kinds and hedges and grapes; call 5041 Union.

MAN—To deliver, with Ford. Gill Bros. Grocery, Marcus and Easton.

MAN—White, to handle sacks and seed mill. L. B. Chamberlain Co., Levee and Locust.

MAN—For farm; call Sunday after 3 o'clock. 4166 Wyoming.

MAN—Elderly, to take care of boiler at night. 2000 East Grand. (c)

MAN—To assist in credit department of installment furniture house; give age, reference, experience and salary. Box L-76, P.-D.

MAN—Elderly, for stock dept., wholesale house; experience not necessary; good chance for promotion. Box T-158, P.-D. (c7)

MAN—To act as oiler, fireman and porter in small factory; give references and wages expected. Box T-410, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—With 1½-ton truck, for moving picture road show; have complete show; will split 50-50. F. A. Brigham, Callao, Mo.

MAN—Elderly; for stock clerk; good job for right man. National Chair Co., 301 N. Main. (c)

MAN—To work on freight platform and drive a small Ford truck; state experience, single or married. Box W-248, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—To do kitchen and dining-room work, in West End tea room. Grill Room, 5630 Berlin.

MAN—Young, over 17, to learn garment pressing; good pay while learning. Star Cleaning Co., 2253 N. Grand.

MAN—Young, 19 or 20, willing worker; machine shop work; good wages with prospect of advancement. Call at 2213 Locust st.

MAN—To do dairy work and take care of cattle. 7101 State st., East St. Louis, Ill.; East 1477.

MAN—Experienced bottle washer; none other need apply; steady work. Apply 412 S. 7th st. (c)

MAN—To look after filling orders and pack food products; wages $12 a week. Box T-63, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—Young, to learn the laundry business; good opportunity. Apply Laundry Dept. Hardy Stores Co., 7th and Chestnut. (c)

MAN—Experienced furnace man; handy around house. Albany Hotel, 4873 Page bl.

MAN AND WIFE—To work on farm; good wages. Telephone Webster 6634W, or Olive 5452, or call at 616 Washington.

MAN—Colored, for porter work in factory. Apply Sunday, Fay Electric Plumbe, Inc., 6300 Hamburger av., Wellston.

MAN—House and yard; must have city references. 18 Princeton av., University City.

MAN—Experienced paper house man in stock and order filling department; give particulars and reference. Box T-149, Post-Dis. (c)

MAN—To tend garden, wash automobiles, milk cows, chickens, etc. Phone Clayton 122. (c)

MAN—Young, as assistant bookkeeper and salesman, for Ford agency. 2333 S. Jefferson. (c)

MAN—45 to 50, to nail cases; steady job. Central Employment Dept., Brown Shoe Co., 17th and Lucas.

MAN—Young, with some legal training, or who is studying law; this is a good opportunity for an ambitious young man; state age and experience. Box B-59, Post-Dis.

MAN—Young, for light collecting in real estate office; steady position; wages $8 to $10 a week; state age, references required. Box L-273, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—To handle freight shipments and keep stock; prefer one experienced in wholesale grocery trade; wages $15 a week. Box L-78, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Capable, for sawmill foreman; also mechanic who understands mill machinery and pumps. Midland Creosoting Co., 224 and C. P. & St. L. tracks, Granite City, Ill.

MAN—Young, for wholesale house; must write and figure well; address, stating age, if married, and salary expected. Box L-67, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—Elderly; good home, in suburbs, and $3 per week to elderly man who understands care of cow and garden. Box B-356, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Capable, who understands stock, poultry, gardening and machinery on farm; south of Jefferson Barracks. Apply Monday, Room 219 Navarre Bldg. (c)

MAN—Experienced in dry goods and clothing store; opportunity for a permanent position; state age, experience; reference. Address Lock Box 88, Montgomery City, Mo.

MAN—Young, principally for bookkeeping and stenography work, a good opportunity for the right party, with a growing firm. Box L-61, Post-Dispatch. (c67)

MAN—Young, for general work; no Sunday work; $12 to start. Apply Monday between 8 and 10 a. m. Childs' Restaurant, 218 N. 6th st.

MAN—Young, for clerical work, in paint store; must be able to use typewriter; state age and experience; make application in writing. Pocket's Paint Store, 2344 Gravois. (c)

MAN AND WIFE—For janitor work in apartment building; good home and steady job for right people. Apply to A. D. Ruth, care City Trust Co., 1142 Washington. (c)

MAN—Combination clerk and yard man; married man preferred; with large corporation; chance to learn business and promotion; state salary expected. Box T-162, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—To take charge of fish department; who is triple understander; must be sober, middle aged; must be sober and industrious; good salary for such a man. Apply REMLEY MARKET, 6th and Franklin. (c)

MAN—Young; electrical manufacturing company requires publicity department; must have some experience in writing copy and printing layout; state age, education and if employed. Box T-151, Post-Dis. (c)

MAN—A splendid opening for a man with selling ability; no order taker wanted; specialties and sundries; earnings unlimited; sell retail and jobbing trade; territory near. Enterprise Chemical Co., 200 N. 2d. (c)

MAN—White or colored, to do about 5 hours' work a day; light work, cleaning autos, tending to fire and do some housework; call between 12:30 and 2 p. m. Sunday; no lazy man need apply. 4373 West Pine bl. (c)

MAN—Young; stenographer and typewriter; able to check invoices for railroad position out of town; salary $80; transportation furnished; give references and phone number; position open March 1. Box L-84, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—Young, 17 years, as collector and general assistant; steady house; salary $35 per month; give references and state experience; also whether you live with your parents, or in own boarding house. Box L-80, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Steady, active, as checker in assembly department of manufacturing house; must be good at figures and write a legible hand. Address with full particulars as to last employment, age and salary expected. Box T-257, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN—Married, on 200-acre farm; house to live in; must have own furniture; one with tractor experience preferred; must come recommended. Apply to Charles R. Young, Granite City car line, Eagle Park, Madison. (c)

MAN—Married, 25 to 30 years old, who has lived in this city for two or more years; applicant must be ambitious and devote a part of his time to development; position pays good salary to start and offers excellent opportunities for advancement. Jewel Tea Co., Inc., 2211-15 Pine. (c)

MAN—Competent, to take charge of retail department store office, located a short distance from St. Louis; must be thoroughly experienced and would prefer a man that is somewhat familiar with department store routine. Apply, stating age, experience, whether married or single and salary expected; replies will be treated strictly confidential. Box K-16, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MANAGER—Experienced shoe man to take charge of shoe store; prefer one that is not married or out of the draft. Box L-38, P.-D.

Wanted—Department Manager

ESPECIALLY EXPERIENCED IN PIECE GOODS AND LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR; OPPORTUNITY FOR MAN DESIRING PERMANENT POSITION WITH REAL FUTURE; LIVE TOWN OF 2000, NORTHEAST ARKANSAS; GIVE EXPERIENCE, REFERENCES AND AGE IN FIRST LETTER. BOX W-399, POST-DISPATCH. (c)

MARINE ENGINEER—One with foreign experience preferred. Box W-408, Post-Dis.

MEAT CUTTER—Capable of managing and buying; best of reference; or will rent space in grocery store. Box B-240, Post-Dis.

MECHANIC—Allround, for auto work; call Sunday morning. 613 Cass. (c)

MECHANIC—At Mehlville Garage, Mehlville, Mo.

MEN—Middle-aged, white

HELP WANTED—MEN. BOYS

YOUNG MAN—For position in purchasing department; prefer high school graduate and one who can operate typewriter. Apply purchasing department, Wagner Electric Mfg. Co., 5400 Plymouth. (c)

YOUNG MAN—Is no 19 years of age, with high school education, who is desirous of learning a good paying business. Answer in own handwriting, giving references. Box P-217, Post-Dispatch. (c)

YOUNG MEN—To learn to weave wire cloth; good pay while learning. Apply LUDLOW-SAYLOR WIRE CO., Newstead and Wabash R. R. (c4)

—SMALL WARES BUYER.
A broad gauged, experienced buyer of notions, both domestic and import, whose record will prove what he has accomplished and who has the executive ability to produce results that will develop an unusual and attractive position. Our business is growing rapidly, and we can make place for another man not over 40 and of the right type. In writing, state age, if married, church affiliation, listing concerns you have worked for and compensation. You will not acquaint us your present position, as application will be confidential. Box J-552, Post-Dispatch.

SHOEWORKERS

BOTTOM FILLER—On men's fine welts. International Shoe Co., Glasgow and North Market. (c)

BOTTOM SANDERS—Apply International Shoe Co., 12th and North Market. (c7)

CUTTERS—On children's shoes and all-round stock fitters, 810 Lucas, 4th floor.

CUTTERS—Experienced hand and machine. McElroy-Sloan Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas. (c1)

CUTTERS—And trimming cutters, and boy to learn in cutting room, F. C. Church Shoe Co., 2801 Benton. (c)

EDGE SETTERS—Edge inker, stitch burnisher, heel burnisher. American Gentleman, 2350 Randolph. (c)

HEEL BURNISHER—And allround finisher, F. C. Church Shoe Co., 2801 Benton. (c2)

HEEL BURNISHER—And ironer; apply McElroy and Sloan Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas. (c7)

LASTERS—Turn second lasters. Apply International Shoe Co., Jefferson and St. Louis.

LASTERS—One hand-puller; one bed machine operator; good opportunity for sober, industrious men. Box J-154, Post-Dispatch. (c1)

LEVELER—Inseam trimmer, boys to work on clean-up, our cruciflxes, books, papier mache frames; photo pennants; very lowest prices; rejects credited; prompt shipment; 20 days' trial; catalogue and sample free. James C. Bailey Co., Dept. 68, Chicago.

LINING MARKERS—Back strappers; hand folders; belt boy. Apply Mr. Ekins, President Factory, 18th and Wash. (c)

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NIGGER HEAD OPERATOR—Experienced, on boys' work; apply at Belleville Shoe Co., Belleville, Ill. (c7)

PULLER-OVER—On niggerhead laster, to learn stapling lasting. Apply McElroy-Sloan Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas. (c2)

SHOE CUTTERS—Lining cutters, trimming cutters, assemblers, puller-overs, nigger heads, operators, tackers and all-around help. F. C. CHURCH SHOE CO., 2801 Benton. (c2)

SHOEWORKER—Work on jack; steady job 3216 Meramec.

SLUGGER—One who can breast. Apply Selvin Meier Shoe Co., 1214 St. (c)

SLUGGER—International Shoe Co., Glasgow and North Market. (c)

STITCHER—Fancy, on women's high-grade McKays. Johnson-Stephens-Shinkle Florsheim Shoe Factory, 2207 Chestnut st. (c1)

TREERS—Experienced; good pay; steady work. Boyd-Welsh Shoe Co., 4407 Cook. (c)

TRIMMING CUTTER—Hand and machine trimmer; apply McCloud, President Factory, 18th and Wash. (c)

WOOD HEELER—On woman's high-grade McKays. Johnson-Stephens-Shinkle Florsheim Shoe Factory, 2207 Chestnut st. (c1)

AGENTS WANTED—MEN

AGENTS—New money maker; Address St. Louis Mailing Co., 407 N. 8th st.

AGENTS—New photo ticket proposition, big commission; investigate. Studio, 726 Olive.

AGENTS—Furnish us Frame, Berlin or Bust, patriotic picture with punch. Sample free. People's Mfg. Co., Sta. D, Chicago.

AGENTS Special! Inch display advertisement, 100 machines, $7.50; $8. Universal Syndicate, Atlantic City, N. J.

AGENTS—Gas fire in any coal stove from coal oil; beats coal; agents' bonanza; Wonder Burner, Dept. 6, Columbus, O.

AGENTS—Get the winner, perfection sheet holder; quick sales, big profits. Wachtler Sales Co., Kansas City, Mo.

AGENTS—$15 per day selling spring blood tonic; $1 bottles for 59c. The Medicine Shop, 2715 Franklin, St. Louis.

AGENTS—California rose beads selling like hot cakes; agents coining money; absolutely new; big profits; catalogue free. Mission Bead Co., Dept. 2819 W. Pico, Los Angeles, Cal.

AGENTS—A Whirlwind seller, goes like wildfire; to buyer, 100 per cent profit; write for proof. Dept. 98, Box 111, Hill City, Kan.

AGENTS—We offer you a steady and permanent income, protected territory; write today. Sta-Wel Company, Box 294, Springfield, Mo.

AGENTS—Big spring leader now ready; be on top; agents coin money; big fields; take advantage of free sample offer at once. Elmer Stone, 28 S. Aberdeen st., Chicago, Ill.

AGENTS—Quick seller, 25c; sample 10c; each 25c sale; no license required; we deliver and collect; sample free. B. Seewagen, 2819 W. Pico, Los Angeles, Cal.

AGENTS—Anywhere handy men can make big money with our gold window sign letters; best on earth. Slann Sign System, Detroit, Mich. (c91)

AGENTS—$60 to $100 a week; free samples; gold sign letters for stores and office windows; liberal offer to general agents. Metallic Letter Co., 435 N. LaSalle, Chicago.

AGENTS—Send your name today; you'll be glad you did.
AGENTS' SERVICE,
817 Herald Bldg. Joliet, Ill.

AGENT—Man to work this city refinishing chandeliers, brass beds, automobiles, by new method; small outfit; capital or experience; write Guimetal Co., 44 Elm, Decatur, Ill.

AGENTS—Catch the Kaiser; greatest war game; sells through agents only; both sexes; enormous profits; write Checkerboard Mfg. Co., Dept. 21, Los Angeles, Cal.

AGENTS—200 per cent profit; wonderful little article; something new; sells like wildfire; carry right in your pocket. Write at once for free sample. Kellman, Inc., Sales Manager, 1006 American Bldg., Cincinnati, O.

AGENTS—Good, sound business plans and schemes for agents and hustlers can be found in Mail Order Merchant; trial, 3 months, 25c; sample, 10c. Rosen & Hill, St. Joseph, Mo.

AGENTS—Chewing gum; sell to storekeepers, etc.; good permanent business built up quickly; you make 25c on every box; exclusive territory to workers; write today. Helmet Co., Cincinnati, O.

AGENTS and street men; dandy little article, new, profits big; carry right in your pocket; sample, 10c; exclusive territory. Address Fuller & Bachman, Box 58B, Danvers, Ill.

AGENTS—Write for free samples Ideal steak tenderer, and vegetable chopper; makes chuck steak tender as porterhouse; it will knock the Kaiser out. Tyler Mfg. Co., Dept. 9 Muncie, Ind.

AGENTS—Make 500 per cent profit handling auto mudguards, patriotic pictures, window display stickers, name plates, changeable signs; catalogue free. Hinton Co., 6142 40th court, Chicago, Ill.

AGENTS—Men or women; the song hit of the war, "The Boys of Uncle Sam"; good words, catchy music. Fast seller. Big profits. Send 10c for copy and particulars. T. C. Trent Co., Springfield, Ill.

AGENTS—"I'll take one." Agents, send for particulars and hear this every few minutes. Big profits. Unlimited field. Act quick. Season now on. Non-such Supply Co., Box 152, Lookout Mountain, Tenn.

AGENTS—Sell a dye wire line, Ho-Ro-Co medicated skin and scalp soap, perfumes and toilet articles are the best known; big profits; get the repeat business. Ho-Ro-Co, 110 Locust st., St. Louis, Mo. (c60)

AGENTS—$500 per month profit; agents coining hundreds weekly; new washing compound; wonderful seller; big repeater; nature's mightiest cleanser; send for proof; free sample. Mitchell, 1314 E. 61st st., Chicago.

AGENTS! AGENTS! AGENTS! Get the agency in your locality for Electro," indestructible aluminum; something new; not sold in stores; everybody wants them. Write quick. Korea Importing Co., Canton, O.

AGENTS—Get Davis' 1918 prosperity offer; best in 21 years; our food, soap and toilet goods cut store prices one-third to half; every home buys; lower living cost. R. M. Davis, Dept. 625, 810 Lake, Chicago.

AGENTS—Even if you were deaf, dumb and blind you could sell our aluminum utensil cleaner; every housewife grabs it on sight; steady trade and big money. Protected territory. Write quick. Div. 507, Aluminum Mfg. Co., Lemont, Ill.

AGENTS—Men; butter at 6c a pound; wonderful new invention; cuts high cost of living; big profits. 100 per cent. Write quick for book, territory and free sample. Instant Butter Merger Co., 7015 Round st., Dayton, O.

AGENTS—To meet Government requirements for income tax schedule every farmer should have my Farmers' Manual and Complete Account Book; hustlers clearing $7 daily; outfit free. Prof. Nichols, Naperville, Ill.

AGENTS—MEN

AGENTS—Our simplex (kerosene) gas burners do away with high-priced coal; hundreds of pleased customers; agents coining money; write today for exclusive territory. Simplex Gas Plants Co., Desk 25-9 S. Clinton, Chicago.

AGENTS—I want 100 agents to take orders for Comer raincoats; spring line ready; dandy coat $3.98; 65 styles; profit in advance; we deliver; send post card for samples and proposition. Comer Mfg. Co., Dept. G-117, Dayton, O.

AGENTS—Rush postal for free sample "Spik and Span," wonderful new washing tablet; washes clothes spotless without rubbing; tremendous seller; 200 per cent profit; samples free to boost sales. H. M. Newberry, 208 Peoria st., Chicago.

AGENTS—Men or women, write for the greatest money-making proposition ever made to agents; $5 to $10 daily easily made; experience unnecessary; agent's outfit free; enormous demand; sells fast. Yanoco Ivory Co., Morgantstar, Mass.

AGENTS—$60 weekly and automobile furnished agents placing samples wonderful new automobile necessity with owners everywhere. Reduces operating expense one-third. Makes old cars run like new. Outfit free. L. Bailwey, Dept. 489, Louisville, Ky.

AGENTS—I want 20 men and women to act as my agents and take orders for fast selling Goodyear raincoats; we deliver and collect; sample coat and outfit free; write quick for wonderful offer. Goodyear Manufacturing Co., Department 205, Kansas City, Mo. (c68)

AGENTS—$50 weekly and up selling Mexican diamonds; exactly resemble genuine; same rainbow fire; stand tests; sell at sight; repeat orders; write quick for sample case offer free. Mexican Diamond Importing Co., 240, Las Cruces, New Mexico.

AGENTS—The Handy horn button base for Fords and Maxwells puts the horn button where needed; quick seller and good commission; send 15c for sample, which will be refunded with first order. Manufacturers' Agency Co., Wainwright Bldg.

AGENTS—Every family needs "Peerless" Egg Saver; supply that demand, one-sixth cost of eggs; quick sales, sure repeater; opens way for our big line household money makers; big profits; experience unnecessary; write quick for territory. E. M. Davis, 808 Davis Bldg., Chicago.

AGENTS—We start you in business, furnishing everything; men and women; $30 to $200 weekly operating our new system specialty candy factories; home anywhere; no canvassing; opportunity lifetime; booklet free. Ragsdale Co., Box A, East Orange, N. J.

AGENTS—Portraits, photo pillow tops, patriotic pictures, medallions, frames, sheet pictures, buttons, our cruciflxes, books, papier mache frames; photo pennants; very lowest prices; rejects credited; prompt shipment; 20 days' trial; catalogue and sample free. James C. Bailey Co., Dept. 68, Chicago.

AGENTS—Who appreciate quick sales, investigate; new money getter now ready; season's selling; $6 daily made; outfit free; call; act quick; proposition and free sample offer ready. Edwin Supply Co., Lock Box 306, Ponca City, Ok.

AGENTS—$300 month selling little attachment that prevents spark plug trouble; makes old plugs new; prevents fouling and pitting; gives motor snap and power. Easily attached; 21 sold in motor snap and power. Easily attached; 21 sold in motor snap and power. Easily saw; costs so little every automobile owner buys quick; big clean-up for agents. Write Automobile Products Co. Walsworth Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

AGENTS—Big hit; our 5-piece aluminum set is all the rage; cheaper than enamelware; sells like wildfire; guaranteed 20 years; retail value, $5; you sell to housewives for only $1.98; biggest seller of the age; 9 sure sales out of every 10 shown; others clean up $10 to $20 a day. Answer this quick to secure your territory. Dept. 1054, American Aluminum Mfg. Co., Lemont, Ill.

AGENTS—$500 per month selling Stransky's new improved vaporizer for Ford cars; guaranteed to save from 25 per cent to 50 per cent of gasoline bills; greatest seller on earth today. Can be installed by anyone in 5 minutes; no drilling or tapping necessary; sold on money-back guarantee; made $2500 in free; state agents wanted in the Southern and Western states; particulars free. J. A. Stransky, Ivanna, S. D.

AGENTS—$348 one day in September. 1917, Ira Shock of Flint did it; Studer wrote Oct. 2, sold 40 one day; Kellogg, $700 ahead end of second week; Marner, Baltimore, made $900 in one day; Perrine, $380 in one day; Eakins, $1500 profit in one month; recent Michigan customer wrote Dec. 24, "Profits $2400." We teach you secret formula; how to succeed; build a business of your own, the demand is enormous; it is enormous; a delicious food confection made with sugar; high prices and war conditions help; profits $1000 a month easily. W. Z. Long Co., 307 High st., Springfield, Ohio.

ADVERTISE your 20-word ad in 100 magazines, $1; list free. Atlas Agency, 3700 Delmar.

AMAZING new invention; marvelous adding machine; adds to $7.50; adds, subtracts, multiplies; does work of $200 machine; 5 year guarantee; office, stores, factories buy from one to dozen; enormous demand; every demonstration sells. Write quick for trial offer and protected territory. Dept. 229, Calculator Corporation, Grand Rapids, Mich.

"AMERICA and the Great War," sells on sight; every red-blooded American wants it. Big profit. Sample free. International Press, Philadelphia, Pa.

BIG PROFITS for agents selling new patented Shavelight; every house flying service flag a customer; gift filling soldier's needs for shaving, writing in dark; some choice territories open to active men and women of good standing. Shavelight, 30 Church st., New York City.

GET agency for city or county, automobile and mechanic's ratchet wrench; $1 for sample. Ace M. S. Specialty Co., 354 E. Third st., Cincinnati, O.

I CLEAR $50 weekly in small 5c business; man or woman start anywhere; particulars free. Starting. Ed Hansley, 905 E. Main st., Stockton, Cal. (c)

LARGE manufacturer wants representatives to sell shirts, underwear, hosiery, dresses, waists, skirts, direct to homes. Write for free samples. Madison Mills, 503 Broadway, New York City.

LIGHTNING Cutter for agents; hurry, begin today; everyone buys; big profits; unlimited field. C. Henry Co., Box 484, Dayton, O. Dept. 2

MAKE and sell your own goods; formulas by expert chemists; manufacturing processes and trade secrets; write for formula catalogue. Scientific Mystic Co., Washington, D. C.

MAKE $150 per month; a permanent business and your own boss; guaranteed raincoats; self-advertising; repeat orders galore; I deliver and collect; samples free. Dan Skinner, 5413 West Ohio, Chicago, Ill. (99)

PHOTO AGENT—Send for prices, prints and finish; shipped in 24 hours. Acme Photo Enlarging Co., 1915 Morgan, St. Louis, Mo.

PORTRAIT MEN—Portraits of prints shipped in 24 hours' time. Write for catalogue. Portrait Mart Supply House, 1429 McGee st., Kansas City, Mo. (c)

STOP, AGENTS—Here's real money for you; brand-new seller, unlimited field; sells on sight; big profits. Write Bergen Products Co., Dept. 12, Lester Prairie, Minn.

STOP that daily grind; take nose off grindstone; be no man's slave; punch nobody's time clock; own your own business; start you silvering mirrors, plating tableware, home; sure income, plans free. Clarence Sales Co., Dept. 8, Marion, Ind.

TAILORING AGENTS—Sell men's suits, made-to-order; beauties; best tailoring; prices lower; sell every man shown; large sample outfit free. Leeds Woolen Mills, Chicago, Ill.

WISE agents handle this 25c household specialty; 140 per cent profit; one agent sold 160 one day; working sample 12c; dozen, $1.20; particulars free. G. L. Erwin & Co., Manufacturers, 2113 W. Harrison st., Chicago.

25 PER CENT PROFIT paid in advance. Men and women to take orders for "Quality Brand" guaranteed, made-to-measure raincoats, direct from factory to wearer; complete sample outfit free. Quality Raincoat Co., 102 Fifth av., New York.

100 PER CENT commission, something new, every business man must have; enormous demand; unlimited field; income tax law makes it a necessity; anybody can sell spare time; write for particulars. Federal Forms Co., Inc., 615 Lumber Exchange Bldg., Chicago.

AGENTS WANTED—WOMEN

AGENT—Lady or gentleman representative can make good money by working a few hours each day; write for particulars. Ad. E. J. H., 339 4th st., Grand Rapids, Mich.

AGENTS—$18 week expenses advanced; no canvassing; women to travel, appointing agents for flavors in tubes; experience unnecessary. Reliable Mfg. Co., 445 Como Bldg., Chicago.

AGENTS—One thousand dollars reward if N. R. G. laundry tablets will not wash clothes without rubbing; contains no paraffin wax or injurious chemicals; cannot possibly injure clothes or hands. The wonder of the age; sells like hot cakes. 15c package equals 3 family washings; we supply free samples. Every housewife you give one to becomes your steady customer. We guarantee the best seller; secure territory at once. Write for free sample and full particulars. Farquhar Moon Manufacturing Co., Desk 304, Irving Park Blvd. and La Salle sts., Chicago.

LADIES—Sell Slip-On cap shape pinless silk veils. Teel Mfg. Co., R. St. Louis, Mo.

LADY AGENTS—Call or write. Ladies' Health Bell Co., 818 Chestnut.

LADIES—For dignified and profitable work in your city; $15 to $20 weekly; exclusive territory. Codiva Co., Dept., 81, 2909 West Van Buren, Chicago.

LADIES—Waterproof kitchen apron; needs no laundering; every housewife buys dainty, durable, economical; big money; sample free. Thomas Mfg. Co., 615 Reed st., Dayton, O.

LADIES—We offer you a steady and permanent income, protected territory; write today. Sta-Wel Company, Box 294, Springfield, Mo.

$2.50 PER DAY paid one lady in each town to distribute free circulars for concentrated flavoring in tubes; permanent position. F. E. Barr Co., Chicago.

Post-Dispatch Wants point the way to comfortable rooms and good board.

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMAN—Neat appearing, bright, energetic young man as salesman in retail store. Box R-413, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—Energetic, to visit schools; $100 salary and liberal commission. E. O. Evans & Co., 1100 Wabash av., Chicago.

SALESMAN—About 40 years old, to sell cigars and tobacco. Stanley Tobacco Co., 4117 Easton av.

SALESMANAGER—A1, for auto company; must be well recommended and give references. Box L-52, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SALESMAN—Acquainted with city dry goods stores. The $9 Waist House, 1110 Washington.

SALESMAN—Experienced, grocery, wants a good staple line; can guarantee best results. Box L-331, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SALESMAN—Experienced, clothing; small salary and commission. Box B-141, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Refer to our advertisement under Business Chances. Francistos Co-op. Assn.

SALESMAN—For cheapest fire on the market, for North St. Louis; salary and commission. Box B-341, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—If you can sell electric washing machines we will pay you an exceptionally large commission on each sale. Federal Sign System, 1200 Pine st.

SALESMEN—A strong Eastern accident and health company wants some live salesmen in St. Louis, Illinois and Missouri; exceptional contract. Box A-29, Post-Dispatch. (c99)

SALESMEN—Experienced specialties book, with established trade in this territory; under-sell all; offers 20 to 40 per cent. Dept. B, 24, Wirth Building, Cincinnati, O.

SALESMEN—If you are earning less than $25 per week, apply sales manager, 1017 Title Guaranty Bldg., and let me demonstrate how you can earn more.

SALESMEN—Have opening for good live specialty men for Missouri, Kansas, Illinois and Iowa. H. Braummer, 5223 McKissock; Colfax 694.

SALESMAN—Real estate; need not leave present position; salary and commission if competent. E. F. Monaghan Real Estate, Woodriver, Ill. (c)

SALESMEN—Side line; pocket samples; 10 minutes, $10 commission; high-grade men only; state other lines handled. Advertising Novelty Co., Newton, Io.

SALESMAN—Have a fine opening for experienced meat and provision salesman in Southern Illinois coal district. Box E-136, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—Clothing; we require experienced men for our growing boys' clothing department; must come well recommended. Apply Lindell Dry Goods Co. (c)

SALESMEN—Five; live; traveling Southern states, to sell raincoats on commission; to advance; bring references. Pelican Rubber Co., 717 Lucas av. (c)

SALESMEN—All or spare time, for good low priced auto insurance; special policy that is easy to sell; big money. Call 624 Federal Reserve Bank Bldg. (c)

SALESMEN wanted; side line or exclusive; quick sellers; large commissions paid weekly; write for particulars. The Speed King Co., Stafford, Kan.

SALESMEN—To sell steam specialty as side line; adopted by U. S. Navy; liberal commission; state territory and experience. P. O. Box 148, Camden, N. J.

SALESMEN—The well known life insurance company desires the services of energetic men of salesmanship experience, splendid opportunity for advancement; salary and commission. Box T-265, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—A large Chicago corporation desires for their St. Louis territory a real salesman, who can handle some commercial industrial insurance or kindred lines. Box I-355, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—For Missouri; vacancy March 1; permanent position; old reputable established line on exceptional terms; high commissions; $35 weekly advance. Sales Manager, 1001 Ford Bldg., Detroit.

SALESMAN—Large New York firm needs Catholic men for employment in their home office; we show you how to make big money. Write at once. Call daily, 8 to 9 a. m. or 5 to 6 p. m., 925 Chemical Bldg.

SALESMAN—Sideline; we have an auto necessity that sells on sight; big moneymaker. Call or write for particulars, Manufacturers' Agency of America, 420 Wainwright Bldg.

SALESMEN—Calling on men's wear buyers. Oklahoma and Kansas; $5000 and upwards; take condensed line line of fine cloth caps on 10 per cent commission; write full particulars, Leon Sloss, 14 Washington Place, New York City.

SALESMAN—Owing to the draft, large corporation needs a high-grade salesman of maturity, good character and furnish best of references; drawing account and liberal large commissions. Box L-75, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Married man, between the age of 25 and 35 years; common school education preferable; one with selling experience; rapid promotion to branch manager. Jeel Tea Co., Inc., 2211-15 Pine. (c)

SALESMEN—Live ones, listen; successful coal oil burner at last; no gasoline; no cleaning, no carbon troubles; big demand; women enthusiastic. People's Specialty Co., Watseka, Ill.

SALESMEN—Sell advertising thermometers; 30 per cent commission; good side line for calendar salesmen; give permanent address; no rambles to general deliveries. Scott & Sons, Buffalo, N. Y.

SALESMEN—Who are calling upon ice cream, candy and cider manufacturers; large and wide-awake bottlers, to handle flavors as side line; 50 per cent commission. Box L-131, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SALESMAN—Have premium offer, just out, that will sell hundreds; big backing; men with navy and merchant marine experience and magazine; sell on sight; profits big. S. M. Brower, sales manager, National Marine League, 118 Old Slip, New York City.

SALESMAN—Calling on retail trade in small towns, for side line; dress goods, white goods, novelties, looms, to retailer; commission basis. F. C. Rodmann & Co., 214 Chestnut st., Philadelphia, Pa. (c)

SALESMEN—High-grade traveling salesmen, capable of earning $3000 and expenses annually; staple line to general merchandise trade. Attractive proposition to dealers. Address sales manager, 312 Hearst Bldg., Chicago.

SALESMEN—$50-$75 earned weekly selling advertising fans exclusively or as side line; selling season commencing; every merchant a possible customer; samples free; terms liberal. Fan Dept., Kemper-Thomas Co., Cincinnati. (99)

SALESMEN—Men capable of showing best monthly-payment life insurance; also want few part-time men. Apply Monday or Tuesday between 8:30 and 10 a. m. or address 416 Wainwright Bldg.

SALESMEN—We have an opening for steady, energetic salesmen, who desire to connect with a progressive organization, selling established specialties to the retail grocery trade; reasonable salary to start. Harry C. Dennis Co., 108 W. Lake st., Chicago. (c)

SALESMEN—Calendar; to sell the world's greatest novelty calendar; exclusive in Missouri; wood, glass and paper calendars; leather goods and novelties; if it's new, we have it. Mueller Bros. Art & Mfg. Co., 2041 W. Polk st., Chicago.

SALESMEN—Three, for specialty work with trade; men who can handle some specialties necessary if aggressive and have good ability; no heavy samples; work is pleasant and profitable. Address E. G., Box 402, Iowa City, Io.

SALESMEN—Immediately; excellent line signs and novelties; traveling expenses advanced; liberal commissions; excellent territory; give age, height, weight, road experience and three late business references. Standard Crowell Co., Ithaca, N. Y.

SALESMAN—To handle our product as side line; hotels, department stores, banks, factories, office buildings, every line a prospect; quick sales, steady repeat business; commissions with continual repeat orders. Address Re-Re Co., 1 Union Square, New York City.

SALESMAN—Successful, experienced any line; new, unequaled merchandising plan; general trade; splendid commission contract; $25 per week and $35 weekly for expenses. The Continental Jewelry Co., 1278 Continental Bldg., Cleveland, O.

SALESMEN—Experienced or inexperienced, city or country; write for particulars, "A Knight of the Grip," and list of openings; immediate employment service rendered members. Address Nat'l Salesmen's Tr. Assn., 332 S. Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill. (8)

SALESMAN—For general mercantile trade in Missouri, to sell a new proposition of merit; salary to now attractive commission contract; $35 weekly for expenses. Miles F. Bixler Co., Wholesale Jewelers, 1518 Carlin Bldg., Cleveland, O.

SALESMAN—By local manufacturers, a high-grade representative; unless you are earning $1800 a year now and will state your age, name of present employer and willingness to leave city, do not answer. Box G-47, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—Five live wires, at once, on men's and lens work and dress shoes, overalls and pants and work clothing, mackinaws and heavy clothing, on commission; best lines to be had; for Missouri, Kansas and Iowa. Bert M. Houchin, 1525 Washington. (c7)

SALESMEN—$60 a week to special salesmen to travel by automobile and introduce 300-candlepower coal-oil lantern; for farmers, dairymen, hucksters, gardeners, contractors, army camps, etc. We furnish the auto free. Write for particulars. Thomas Mfg. Co., 1519 Round st., Dayton, O.

SALESMEN—Life insurance men in Missouri and Illinois; exceptional direct contract with maximum first year and renewal commissions and restricted territory, with the most attractive policy forms on the market, should write for our plan and policy forms. Box O-33, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SALESMEN—To sell groceries, paints, linseed oils to farmers, ranchmen and other consumers at wholesale; profitable, steady, desirable; satisfaction guaranteed; 40 years' reputation behind us. Write today. Lovern & Brown Co., 1707 S. State st., Chicago. (c69)

SALESMEN—Ford headlight intensifier; guaranteed profit, $6 dozen; 100 per cent better light at low speed; sample, 75c. C. O. D. if not satisfactory return; money cheerfully refunded. Universal Specialty Co., bank reference, 612 Plymouth Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn.

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN—And service men; new carburetor for Ford cars; simple, not a moving part; installed in 30 minutes; guaranteed to double your mileage and start in zero weather without heating or priming. 15 day free trial. Write U. & J. Carburetor Co., 905 W. Jackson bl., Chicago.

SALESMEN—Spiralite, the biggest new retail sales stimulator ever devised. High class men only desired to cover rich territory; such men can make $5000 a year on our liberal terms. No competition. Sells easily because worth double its price. Your opportunity is now. Address Commercial Utilities Mfg. Co., 100 N. Wells st., Chicago.

SALESMEN—If you want to make road expenses and more during spare time write us for information on our brand-new premium and salesboard assortment; different from the rest; a whirlwind seller; liberal commission. Melody National Phonograph Agency, Church Bldg., 730 N. Franklin, Chicago.

SALESMAN—We want a man who is experienced in selling addressing, duplicating, typewriter, adding machines or similar lines to sell our Direx-All addressing equipment to the retail trade; we have an exceptionally good-paying proposition; drop in and talk it over. Stickney & Mason, room 656 Victoria Bldg. (c1)

SALESMEN—Big pay; permanent; district organizers and local agents; carry, men or women, full or part time. Whirlwind driver 100,000 new members, all sharing unequaled grocery discounts; no experience unnecessary; no goods to sell. Particulars sent. Home Supply Association, 1214P Madison, Chicago.

SALESMEN—Four, for spring trade, in Southern and Western states, cities and towns; make $150 to $250 monthly and up; $25 weekly advanced pay each Thursday; no collecting or heavy samples to carry; simply determination to work. Full instructions assure success. Write for exclusive territory. H. O. Jones, Secretary 85 Schwind Bldg., Dayton, O.

SALESMEN—Do you want to make big money appointing agencies for us in the smaller towns? Our line can be carried as a side line or you can devote your entire time. Our proposition is new and the field is just now ripe for proposition. Write and tell us what you are selling. Those giving full particulars about themselves will be given the preference. Chas. Weichselbaum, 1455 W. Congress st., Chicago, Ill.

SALESMEN—To present standard medical books to physicians only; we have just issued and now have in preparation many new books that are meeting with pronounced favor; successful books require successful salesmen; good commission agreeable occupation; permanent, exclusive and protected territory. Address, with full details and business references, J. B. Lippincott Co., Philadelphia, Pa. (c)

SALESMEN—To start at once in this territory, selling our big line of art and 12-sheet business getters; exclusive; we want big men with a move on. The President, 400 Westminster Bldg., Chicago, Ill. (c99)

SALESMEN—We manufacture lines distributed direct to the grocer, meat, wholesale hardware, wholesale paper, wholesale dry goods and wholesale drug trade; our men must have medium acquaintance with territory of $2400 yearly on salary basis; territory small; minimum, a month's traveling; excellent opportunity for the right men to make their limit and are tired calling on retail trade, especially men familiar with calling on grocery trade, wholesale hardware, flours, cigars, are qualified; do not answer unless you state age, present salary, name of present employer; length of service and willingness to leave city, to live in headquarters territory allotted. Box O-41, P.-D. (c)

SALESMEN—The McCaskey Register Co. desires the services of several high-grade, aggressive specialty salesmen capable of making large earnings on a very satisfactory commission arrangement; railway mail clerks, sales books, fireproof safes, etc.; commission basis or $25 weekly; special inducements to men who have automobiles; a few good openings for men who can qualify. Write in confidence, giving experience, references, names of accounts and retailing, if any, and inclose a post card photo to M. W. Alvis, district manager, Postoffice Box 744, Kansas City, Mo.

SALESMEN—If you want to get into the aluminum game handling a snappy, popular price line backed by the most up-to-the-smartest co-operative selling plans ever devised, which will enable you to earn a splendid earning; also want a few salesmen to handle detailed experience; only experienced salesmen considered; aluminum, china, enamel, crockery and glass; with us you have the requirements of hardware, general, furniture and department stores preferred; straight commission or salary and commission basis for permanent men who can travel adjacent territory. Aluminum Products Co., Lemont, Ill.

SALESMEN—And women, living in St. Louis and suburbs, to sell to their people and can devote all or part of their time selling oil stock in a company now producing oil; dividends and big profits in this money. Oil is the greatest business of the day and after being instructed as to facts you will see the bright prospects to you. There are many oil companies selling stock who are only prospecting, but this company is producing and now enlarging to meet the increased demands. It costs you nothing to give it a fair trial. Do you know of someone else who might be interested? Write at once. Box B-223, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Who can show he has been successful selling specialties to general merchandise and retail hardware stores, groceries and meat markets; also to similar classes of trade, wanted for Eastern Missouri by Chicago branch of large Eastern manufacturer; good line to work with; ability; shipments from Chicago stock; your reply must state what you sold, territory covered, salary, age and if commission with drawing account satisfactory; salesman living on territory preferred. Box J-153, Post-Dis.

CALENDAR AND SPECIALTY SALESMEN, attention! We are now building a large and modern factory in Aurora, Ill., to take care of the rapidly increasing business created by our superb line of calendars, novelty and art calendars, monthly service, pencils and metal specialties for advertising. We have available territory in Missouri and Illinois and a few other sections for men who can deliver the goods. If you are a salesman qualified to handle more than $5000 per year, ambitious for greater success and willing to hustle for it, apply, giving full particulars, to M. Saunders, sales manager, Blanchard Bros., Inc., 8th av. and 19th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

ASSISTANT SALES MANAGER—Between the ages of 30 and 40; must have experience in hardware and auto accessories and capable of handling five city salesmen; all replies strictly confidential. Box T-365, Post-Dispatch.

FURNITURE SALESMAN—Must be experienced; $25 per week; chance for advancement; steady employment. Apply at Denke Bros. Granite Mfg. Co.

FURNITURE SALESMAN—A1, THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED, ONE WHO IS ABLE TO SELL HIGH-CLASS AS WELL AS MEDIUM QUALITY FURNITURE; MUST BE A FIRST-CLASS CLOSER, AND ABLE TO HANDLE HIGH-GRADE SALES FROM OTHER SALESMEN, AND BE WILLING TO LEAVE CITY. APPLY BOX J-150, POST-DISPATCH. (c)

LUMBER SALESMAN—Must have lumber experience. Andrew Schaefer Supply and Wrecking Co., Clarence and Natural Bridge.

MAN—To book orders for nursery stock salesmen and wagon; big pay; exclusive territory; free outfit. Emmons & Co., Newark, N. Y. (c)

MANAGER—Every section, to appoint agents for new improved world's greatest profit-sharing and trade-increasing device; fits cash register; $75 weekly easily earned; finish beats gold; write today for free sample; thousands now in use; sample free; proposition will please if we still have opening in your section. Big Four Automatic Player Works, Dept. 70, Chicago, Ill.

PRINTING BROKER—Deskroom and phone. Box B-89, Post-Dispatch.

PRINTING SALESMAN—One with some trade, for medium-sized office; would sell interest in business if satisfactory. Box O-187, Post-Dispatch.

SHOE SALESMEN—WITH RETAIL EXPERIENCE. APPLY AT ONCE. ROSENBACH CO., 402 MERMOD-JACCARD BLDG. (c7)

SPECIALTY SALESMEN—For hardware, auto, drug and general store trade, to sell paint specialties, carbon remover, fly spray and sheep dip; all money makers; have a new line for 1918 that will be a winner; each product supported by strong individual advertising; exclusive territory, with other specialties for a side line; liberal and quick commissions paid promptly on accepted orders. We are large manufacturers, established 1852 and well financed. Armstrong Paint and Varnish Works, 2502 S. Paulina st., Chicago.

WANTED—Salesman, by one of the largest concerns in U. S. salesman not subject to draft to cover Missouri and nearby territory; advertising campaign supplies leads; earnings in commissions run several hundred per month; expenses paid while training. Address B. E. Harris, G. S. M., Monroe Bldg., Chicago.

HIGH-CLASS SALESMAN

Traveling in Missouri or Illinois, who can handle woodenware, paper, etc., in connection with present line. KREKELER GRO. CO., Woodenware Dept., St. Louis. (c)

PIANO SALESMEN

Three men for small town and country work; preference given men now working country trade or with country experience; position pays good money to competent men with opportunity to develop into traveling wholesale work with big Western factory; give details, age, experience, references, etc., in confidence. Box W-362, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN WANTED

$25,000 INSURED YEARLY
PLUS HIGH COMMISSIONS.
To hustling security salesman. WELFARE LEAGUE, 1633 Emerson st., Denver, Colo. Write.

SALESMANAGER

To take full charge and exploit an established nationally advertised line by selling direct to retail, drug, hardware and department stores; state in detail experience, territory traveled, age, salary expected; opportunity for advancement. Write L. C., 574 World Bldg., New York. (c)

SALESMAN

WE REQUIRE A HIGH-CLASS MAN FOR SPECIAL EXHIBIT WORK.
Must have liberal education, neat and sober; our present plan of operation demands a man with a clean record.
H. S. HARTMAN, 200 Pierce Bldg.

SALESMEN, ATTENTION!

Salesmen wanted to sell groceries, paints, oils, etc., at wholesale direct to ranchers, farmers and other consumers; splendid opportunity and first-class inducement to live, energetic men; liberal advances on sales; territory protected; our oldest customers are our best ones. Dept. 5, George Meldrum & Co., Wholesale Grocers, Chicago, Ill.

MEN'S SHOE SALESMEN
Apply at 10 o'clock Monday to Superintendent, 2d floor, SCRUGGS-VANDERVOORT-BARNEY.

RUG SALESMEN

Experienced. Apply Superintendent, B. NUGENT & BRO. D. G. CO., Broadway and Washington.

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HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

GIRLS—Over 14 years, in finishing department; nice, clean work; good wages. Apply 410 S. 10th st., 4th floor. Chester Knitting Mills. (c)

GIRLS—Two, for office work; high school graduates preferred; experience not necessary; good chance for advancement. Box T-27, Post-Dispatch. (c)

GIRLS—Learn millinery trade; teach you free and pay you while learning; give you steady position at end of class. Ziegler-Frankel Mfg. Co., 1408 Locust st., 5th floor. (c2)

GIRL—White, to work in family hotel fruit pantry; experience not required but must have references; salary, $25 per month, room and board. Apply manager, Buckingham Annex, King's highway and West Pine. (c)

GIRLS—THE BEMIS BROS. BAG CO. WANTS SEVERAL GIRLS, 16 TO 18 YEARS, FOR LIGHT FACTORY WORK. APPLY FIFTH FLOOR, OFFICE, 701 S. FOURTH ST. (c1)

GIRLS—Experienced in making handfold envelopes; also girls to learn; good wages and steady employment; good working conditions; particular care taken for early advancement. Apply St. Louis Envelope Co., 115 S. 8th st. (c)

GIRLS—For addressing for department store mail order; must write a good, plain hand; state experience, age, salary desired and phone number. Box L-571, Post-Dispatch.

GIRLS—Experienced in labeling and wrapping bottles and tobacco packages; laboratory work; every convenience to add to your health and comfort good positions to those willing to work; good wages. Ask for Mr. Nelson, John T. Milliken & Co., 58 and Cedar sts. (c)

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Pay while learning. 4738 McPherson. (c2)

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GIRLS—For filling and labeling chemicals; positions permanent. MONSANTO CHEMICAL WORKS, 1800 S. 2d. (c3)

GIRLS—Bright colored; those with high school education preferred; for stock work. Apply to SONNENFELD'S, 610-12 Washington. (c7)

GIRLS—To learn how to make house dresses and middy blouses. We pay you while being taught. MOSS-STRAUSS MFG. CO., 20th and Locust. (c)

GIRLS—For weighing, labeling and wrapping chemicals. MALLINCKRODT CHEMICAL WORKS, 3600 N. 2d, one block east of Broadway.

GIRL WANTED AT VANDERVOORT'S

Between 14 and 16 years; bring permit to Superintendent, 2d floor.

GIRLS EXPERIENCED ON POWER MACHINES

Good wages; steady position. ZIEGLER-FRANKEL MFG. CO., 1408 Locust st., 5th fl. (c2)

GIRLS—Between the ages of 14 and 18 years for various kinds of clerical work; good chance for advancement. Apply Supt., B. NUGENT & BRO. D. G. CO., Broadway and Washington.

GIRLS—We have splendid opportunities for several girls who desire to learn sewing. We will teach all parts of shirt making in factories where ideal conditions prevail and will pay while you learn. Apply ELY & WALKER SHIRT FACTORIES, 8th and Hickory sts., sixth floor. (c3)

GIRLS WANTED

Between 16 and 18 years of age, for clerical work, cashier-inspectors and bundle wrappers. Apply employment office, STIX, BAER & FULLER.

HAIR DRESSERS—Hair workers and shampooer wanted; 708 N. Broadway, opposite Union Market. (c)

HAIRDRESSERS, MANICURISTS AND MARCEL WAVERS

wanted at VANDERVOORTS; only experts need apply. Superintendent, 2d floor.

HAND SEWERS—On dresses, United Skirt Co., 902 Washington, 5th floor. (c7)

HAND SEWERS—On fine coats and also girls to learn. 616 Pine, 3d floor. (c)

HAND SEWERS—Women, on children's clothes; smocking and tattins. Call Grand 2906, Sunday, 9 to 12:30. (c7)

HAND SEWERS—To sew on Government coats. Apply Curlee Clothing Co., 10th and North Market. (c7)

HAND NAILERS—Women, girls or men; good wages; steady work. International Package Co., 907 S. 2d. (c)

HAND SEWERS—To work on men's coats; good pay and steady work. 205 N. 7th st., third floor. J. W. Silverstein. (c8)

HEMMER—Operator to hem overalls; steady work; experience not necessary. Margious Mfg. Co., 808 Lucas.

HEMSTITCHERS—And tuckers, on silk waists, steady, all year round position; good pay. Pelham Mfg. Co., 708 Lucas. (c)

HOTEL HOUSEKEEPER—To take charge of large hotel near St. Louis; good opportunity for energetic woman; must have experience as housekeeper; state particulars. Box T-484, Post-Dispatch. (c14)

HOUSE DRESS OPERATORS—

Can use a few experienced operators on house dresses and rompers, Wilcox-Gibbs machines used. Our prices are such as to enable every girl to make as good a salary as any factory in the city. Steady work year round. ELY & WALKER HOUSE DRESS DEPT., 16th and Locust st., third floor. (c62)

HOUSEGIRL—Inquire 4823 Laclede.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; 3 in family; no washing. 5215 Berlin av.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework, bakery. 5358 North Market. Forest 3566.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; no washing; small family. 5164 Vernon.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; small family. Calvary 3646. 6431 Berlin. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework. Apply 5597A Von Versen.

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HOUSEGIRL—Experienced, for general housework; references. 5174 Cabanne. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework. 4666 Magnolia pl. (c1)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework. 3516 Lafayette av. Grand 2328. (c)

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HOUSEGIRL—Good girl to assist with general housework. 5013 N. 22d.

HOUSEGIRL—For housework and bakery. 2301 Osage.

HOUSEGIRL—15 to 18, to assist in housework. 4754 Manchester; Delmar 2377L.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework and cooking; 4 adults. 3456 Halliday.

HOUSEGIRL—German, for general housework; family of adults. Forest 4272.

HOUSEGIRL—For house and dining room; private boarding house. 4005 Westminster.

HOUSEGIRL—Or woman, white, 1st floor apartment. 5936 McPherson. Cabany 4676.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; no washing. 5316A Magnolia. Grand 3013. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; small family; no laundry. Delmar 3746X.

HOUSEGIRL—Colored; general housework; no cooking; small family. 5177 Maple. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Experienced, for general housework. 3519 Sidney.

HOUSEGIRL—To do general housework, for family of three. 5967 Von Versen. (1)

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; two in family; no laundry. (2)

HOUSEGIRL—German, girl or woman for general housework; no washing; references. 2601 Gravois. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; two in family; no laundry; good wages. 5916 Von Versen. Cabany 845. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; 3-room flat; no washing; must be good cook. Call Post 5217W; go home nights. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; good home; small family. 3201 S. Grand. Phone Grand 44570. (c7)

HOUSEGIRL—Reliable Southern colored girl or couple for Southern family, to stay on place. Lindell 4443W. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework, small family; no washing. $30. 5824 Cates. (c7)

HOUSEGIRL—White young girl to assist light housework; no washing; good home. Phone Victor 3148L. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; no washing or ironing. 5909 Clemens; Cabany 1976. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White girl for general housework in small private family; reference required. 3819 West Pine bl.

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; small family; good pay. 4347 Maryland. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Or middle-aged woman for general housework, upstairs. 1824 S. 18th. Central 7504L. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Good girl for general housework; small flat; good wages. 4235 S. Grand.

HOUSEGIRL—Young, white, general housework; no laundry work; 3 in family; good wages. Cabany 5900W. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, general housework, family two; Apartment 3, 5741 McPherson. Cabany 5699. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White girl for general housework; small family; no laundry; good wages. 5015 Raymond. (1)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; no washing; family of two; janitor service. 1170A King's highway. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Young; general housework; no washing or ironing; small family. 5956 Berlin. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework, in bungalow. Cabany 5565W. 5935 Cabanne.

HOUSEGIRL—Experienced; white; general housework; small family. 5715 Chamberlain. Cabany 4658. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; experienced; references. 5268 Maple. Forest 6000. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Experienced, for general housework, in apartment; no laundry; references required. 4520A McPherson. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Or middle-aged woman, to assist with work in small apartment. Call Monday, 594A. Amherst. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; small family; no washing; good wages; bring reference. 4245 Wagner av. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework, family of 3; no washing; apartment. 4476 West Pine. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; no laundry or outside work. Apply 5185 Von Versen.

HOUSEGIRL—Or woman, assist with housework; good home; no washing. Webster 1345J.

HOUSEGIRL—To assist in housework; moderate wages; good home; must be fond of children. Cabany 5662.

HOUSEGIRL—White girl or woman for general housework; 3 in family. Call 1015A N. 20th st.

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; 2 in family. 5293 Waterman, 4th floor west.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework, in family of adults; only experienced apply; call Cabany 5965 for 5955 Bartmer.

HOUSEGIRL—White, general housework; reference; 3 in family; no washing. 4512 Westminster; Tudor, 3d floor. Forest 970.

HOUSEGIRL—Neat, for general housework; family of 3. Phone Cabany 3724W.

HOUSEGIRL—Settled woman for general housework in small family. 5806 Connecticut st., Apt. E-6, 3d floor. (7)

HOUSEGIRL—Experienced, industrious, for general housework; no washing or outside work. Apply 5726 Utah pl. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Young, German, to assist with housework in bakery; family of 2. 5518 N. Broadway.

HOUSEGIRL—For housework, in a 5-room cottage; $5 per week, room and board. 7119 Arsenal st., near Maplewood.

HOUSEGIRL—Neat, young, for general housework; no laundry; small family; good home. 3963 Flora pl.

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GIRLS—Bright colored; those with high school education preferred; for stock work. Apply to SONNENFELD'S, 610-12 Washington. (c7)

GIRLS—To learn how to make house dresses and middy blouses. We pay you while being taught. MOSS-STRAUSS MFG. CO., 20th and Locust. (c)

GIRLS—For weighing, labeling and wrapping chemicals. MALLINCKRODT CHEMICAL WORKS, 3600 N. 2d, one block east of Broadway.

GIRL WANTED AT VANDERVOORT'S

Between 14 and 16 years; bring permit to Superintendent, 2d floor.

GIRLS EXPERIENCED ON POWER MACHINES

Good wages; steady position. ZIEGLER-RANKEL MFG. CO., 1408 Locust st., 5th fl. (c2)

GIRLS—Between the ages of 14 and 18 years for various kinds of clerical work; good chance for advancement. Apply Supt., B. NUGENT & BRO. D. G. CO., Broadway and Washington.

GIRLS—We have splendid opportunities for several girls who desire to learn sewing. We will teach all parts of shirt making in factories where ideal conditions prevail and will pay while you learn. Apply ELY & WALKER SHIRT FACTORIES, 8th and Hickory sts., sixth floor. (c3)

GIRLS WANTED

Between 16 and 18 years of age, for clerical work, cashier-inspectors and bundle wrappers. Apply employment office, STIX, BAER & FULLER.

HAIR DRESSERS—Hair workers and shampooer wanted; 708 N. Broadway, opposite Union Market. (c)

HAIRDRESSERS, MANICURISTS AND MARCEL WAVERS

wanted at VANDERVOORTS; only experts need apply. Superintendent, 2d floor.

HAND SEWERS—On dresses, United Skirt Co., 902 Washington, 5th floor. (c7)

HAND SEWERS—On fine coats and also girls to learn. 616 Pine, 3d floor. (c)

HAND SEWERS—Women, on children's clothes; smocking and tattins. Call Grand 2906, Sunday, 9 to 12:30. (c7)

HAND SEWERS—To sew on Government coats. Apply Curlee Clothing Co., 10th and North Market. (c7)

HAND NAILERS—Women, girls or men; good wages; steady work. International Package Co., 907 S. 2d. (c)

HAND SEWERS—To work on men's coats; good pay and steady work. 205 N. 7th st., third floor. J. W. Silverstein. (c8)

HEMMER—Operator to hem overalls; steady work; experience not necessary. Margious Mfg. Co., 808 Lucas.

HEMSTITCHERS—And tuckers, on silk waists, steady, all year round position; good pay. Pelham Mfg. Co., 708 Lucas. (c)

HOTEL HOUSEKEEPER—To take charge of large hotel near St. Louis; good opportunity for energetic woman; must have experience as housekeeper; state particulars. Box T-484, Post-Dispatch. (c14)

HOUSE DRESS OPERATORS—

Can use a few experienced operators on house dresses and rompers, Wilcox-Gibbs machines used. Our prices are such as to enable every girl to make as good a salary as any factory in the city. Steady work year round. ELY & WALKER HOUSE DRESS DEPT., 16th and Locust st., third floor. (c62)

HOUSEGIRL—Inquire 4823 Laclede.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; 3 in family. 5215 Berlin av.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework, bakery. 5358 North Market. Forest 3566.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; no washing; small family. 5164 Vernon.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; small family. Calvary 3646. 6431 Berlin. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework. Apply 5597A Von Versen.

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework in private family; no washing or ironing or outside work; good wages. 5529 Vernon. Forest 1118. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Competent white woman for general housework and assist with children; no washing. 4958 Wabada. Delmar 3785L. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Honest, industrious girl or woman for general housework; no laundry; no children. 5943 Clemens. Delmar 1545; Cabany 4283. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Refined, clean, quiet colored girl for general housework; efficiency apartment. Call Forest 6729, between 9 and 12 a. m. Sunday only. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework and cooking; good wages; small family; references. 7142 Berlin; Cabany 1419. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; small family; apartment; salary $25 month. Call Sunday between 11 and 3. 2015 S. Grand; 3d floor north.

HOUSEGIRLS—Two, white; one for cooking and general housework, other as nursemaid; must be experienced; attractive wages. Phone Forest 1470.

HOUSEGIRL—Good, for general housework; three in family, $20 per month; German-American preferred; references; East St. Louis, East 4B, St. Clair 200.

HOUSEGIRL—Neat, with good references; wages $10 per month; only two in family. Call or write to R. Sickels, Ste. Genevieve, Mo.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework, no laundry, or outside work; references required; three in family. Forest 1651, after 9 a. m.

HOUSEGIRL—Refined white, Protestant, not over 35, as housegirl and attendant to lady; wages $25; references; call Riverside 900.

HOUSEGIRL—To assist with general housework; no washing; good treatment. Apply 3137 Virginia pl., East St. Louis. Phone Kinloch, St. Clair 1455X; E. S. Engleman.

HOUSEKEEPER—For small bungalow; family of 3; call Sunday, 4045 Humphrey.

HOUSEKEEPER—Reliable, good wages; apply at once. Box T-155, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—No objection to one child. 1019 Carr st., rear. Kenny.

HOUSEKEEPER—Woman, for general housekeeping. 2826 McNair av.

HOUSEKEEPER—German; in motherless home; with two boys, 2 and 6 years old. Call 2717 Ann, between 2 and 5 Sunday.

HOUSEKEEPER—2211 West Pine; experienced cook; capable marketing; immediate. references. Lindell 651.

HOUSEKEEPER—For gentleman; own home, wants someone to take charge of home and stock; must furnish reference. Box T-67, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—For young farmer; all modern conveniences; must be neat and devout Catholic; middle-aged preferred; give references. Box K-392, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Unincumbered, to keep house for man and two small boys living in Webster Groves; must be able to cook and bake; some ironing of rough dry; state age, religion, wages expected and where you may be seen. Box B-72, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEMAID—Small family; references. 5025 Waterman. (c)

HOUSEMAID—For dining room and housework; good wages. Phone Webster 676. (c7)

HOUSEMAID—References required. 4922 Berlin. (7)

HOUSE MAID—White. Christian Hospital, 3540 N. Grand. (c)

HOUSEMAID—Centenary Hospital, 2945 Lawton av. (c)

HOUSEMAID—Experienced, small family, good wages. 5277 Lindell bl. (c)

HOUSEMAID—Experienced house and dining room maid; $25. 4412 Delmar.

HOUSEMAID—House and dining room; liberal wages; must have experience. Telephone Forest 138.

HOUSEMAID—First-class, colored; must have best references. Take Meramec car to Algonquin Golf Club stop, walk up steps one block north, half block west, third house; Webster Groves, Telephone Webster 807.

HOUSEWOMAN—For general housework; family of 3. Call Bridge 476. (c)

HOUSEWOMAN—Middle-aged, for general housework. Apply 3816 Laclede av.

HOUSEWOMAN—Settled; white; small family; no laundry. 843 Lafayette. (c)

HOUSEWOMAN—For housework and assist with sick lady. Call at 4944 Theasia. (c7)

HOUSEWOMAN—In family of 3. Apply before 11:30 a. m. 4141 Cleveland av.

HOUSEWOMAN—Middle-aged, to assist with housework; no laundry; good home; fair wages. Call Monday morning, 1208C Union.

HOUSEWOMAN—Or girl to help in kitchen; steady position. Apply Monday morning, Johnson Bros. Drug Co., 7th and St. Charles.

HOUSEWOMAN—Middle-aged, for general housework in small private family. Cabany 1233M.

HOUSEWOMAN—For kitchen and to assist in cooking; no Sunday work; one living in neighborhood preferred. Apply 2517 Texas.

HOUSEWOMAN—Elderly woman or girl, to assist with housework; more for home than wages. 1418 N. 10th.

HOUSEWOMAN—Colored; for general housework in small apartment; must be good cook, with references; no washing. Box T-189, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEWOMAN—Good, settled colored woman for general housework; no home nights; 2 in family; reference required. Call after 4 p. m. 4135 Olive st.

HOUSEWOMAN—For general housework on vegetable farm; three adults; modern conveniences; no outside work. 7212 Morganford rd.; Cherokee car, 6900 south, walk east.

IRONER—Good, white woman, age 30 to 35, apply at laundry, ready to work 7 a. m. Monday. Missouri Baptist Sanitarium, 919 N. Taylor.

JOB PRESS FEEDERS. General Printing Co., 1017 Morgan st. (c1)

JOB PRESS FEEDER—Experienced; also girls to learn job press feeding on bindery work; good wages. Security Printing Co., 3d and Vine. (c)

KITCHEN WOMAN—Colored. Apply Sturm's Restaurant, 620 N. 9th. (c)

KITCHEN HELPER—Apply Jewish Hospital, 5415 Delmar. (c)

LADY—To care for wife during confinement; room and board. Call 5911 S. Broadway. (c)

LADY—To wash and iron in laundry. Hing Lee, 2800 Marcus.

LADY—Young, to take orders over phone in grocery. Apply at 6242 Delmar. (c)

LADY—With good command of English, to take orders over phone; give phone number. Box T-157, Post-Dispatch. (c)

LADY—Young, to make herself generally useful in cleaning and dyeing company, 5805 Delmar bl. (c)

LADY—To take charge of bakery and confectionery; $300 to $500 required. Box K-36, Post-Dispatch. (c)

LADY—Young, to operate typewriter; permanent position. Hoyle & Harick, 606 N. Broadway.

LADY—As caretaker for children; references. Protestant Episcopal Home, 1711 S. Grand. Forest 2753M. (c)

LADY TYPIST—Accurate; well educated; preferably real estate and secretary experience; work at employer's residence; immediate. Lindell 651.

LADY—Young, to open up new department, ladies' hair dressing and manicure parlor in our store; everything furnished. Ad. Grand-Leader, Pizzotti, Ark. (c)

LADIES—Five bright, capable, to travel, demonstrate and sell dealers; $75 to $100 per month. Railroad fare paid. Goodrich Drug Co., Dept. 484, Omaha, Neb.

LADY—To sell and demonstrate in each county; easy, fascinating work; big pay; no investment necessary. Baker, Wheeler Mfg. Co., 104 St. Louis.

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Experienced, for alterations. Apply employment office, STIX, BAER & FULLER.

LAUNDRESS—Call Sunday, 2348 S. 10th st.

LAUNDRESS—First-class, white; Monday. Call Grand 5896, Sunday morning. (c)

LAUNDRESS—Washing and ironing, Tuesday; must be good worker. 4227 Flad.

LAUNDRESS—Good white, for Monday. 3436 Halliday.

LAUNDRESS—White; steady work; half day washing. 5046 St. Louis.

LAUNDRESS—White; Monday or Tuesday. Call Central 6601L, 4329A Colfax.

LAUNDRESS—German, for washing every other week. Call Victor 414R.

LAUNDRESS—Good, for Monday. 7351 Marietta av., Maplewood. (c)

LAUNDRESS—Good; white; for Tuesday or Wednesday. Apply 4413 Oakland. (c)

LAUNDRESS—Woman to do hand washing. Georger-Matson Laundry Co., 4436 Olive. (c)

LAUNDRESS—White; 3 days in week. 6157 Wagner av.

LAUNDRESS—Reference required. 2414 N. Euclid. (7)

LAUNDRESS—For Monday and Tuesday; reference required. 4706 Westminster.

LAUNDRESS—Any day except Tuesday. 2629 Tennessee. Victor 1181L. (c)

LAUNDRESS—White; 3 days in week. 6157 Wagner av.

LAUNDRESS—Good, for Monday and Tuesday; steady work; references. 3338 Magnolia.

LAUNDRESS—Experienced, Monday, Tuesday and 1/2 day Wednesday; reference. Apply 4257 West Pine. Call Lindell 1808. (c)

LAUNDRESS—White, middle-aged, for half a day Mondays and Tuesdays. 2500 N. Euclid. Forest 2753M. (c)

LAUNDRESS—White woman; do washing; must come next Monday. 5461 Chamberlain.

MAID—Thorough experienced in hotel work. Rex Hotel, 4053 Olive st.

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

MACHINE OPERATORS—Experienced; to sew on all parts of Government coats. Apply CURLEE CLOTHING CO., 10th and N. Market st., Bellefontaine car direct to factory. (c)

MAID—Thoroughly experienced in hotel work, Maryland Hotel, 9th and Pine. (c)

MAID—For general housework; references required. Cabany 4890. 5577 Waterman.

MAID—Experienced, for general housework; no laundry. 3548 Crittenden. (c)

MAID—Colored, for general housework. 2727 Cass. (c)

MAID—Or middle-aged woman; general housework; family of two; in county. Box W-205, Post-Dispatch.

MAID—First floor and dining room; white; suburban home; good wages, must have experience; references required; Bell phone Hanley 194. E. W. Grove Jr., Hampton Park. (1)

MAKERS—First-class. Apply at Garland's at once. (c)

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MILLINER—Apply S. S. Kresge Co., 504 Washington.

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MILLINERY APPRENTICE—Apply Monday, 704 N. Grand. (c)

MILLINERY WORKERS—And trimmers. Parisian Millinery Co., 217 N. 6th. (c)

MILLINERY MAKER—914 N. Taylor; apply Tuesday.

MILLINER—A lady experienced in selling; give reference. Apply to Levy-Reed Co., Murphysboro, Ill.

MILLINERY MAKER—Steady position; good salary; come prepared for work. D. M. Strauss, 8852 Olive st. (c)

MILLINERY TRIMMERS—Big pay. Apply at once. Goldman-O'Brien-Nassauer Mfg. Co., 1332 Washington, 2d floor. (c)

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MILLINERY MAKER—Good; none but first-class need apply. Call Sunday or Monday morning. 2826 N. Vandeventer av. (c)

MILLINERY TRIMMERS—Girls to trim hats, no experience necessary, good pay. Sylvester C. Judge Hat Factory, 1900 Pine, 4th floor.

MILLINERS—Makers and apprentices, on ladies' hats; good salaries paid; steady positions assured; positions out of town secured if desired. Apply Mr. Hassall, care of Rosenthal-Sloan Millinery Co., 716 Washington. (c7)

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Girls wanted in all departments of our factories. Experienced operators earn good wages from the start.

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2850 South Jefferson av.
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MOUNTERS—Experienced, bulb blowers; can obtain permanent positions at very good pay; write Advance Lamp Works, 361 W. Superior st., Chicago.

NURSE—White, walking children; assist second floor. Grand 2887, 3414 Hawthorne. (c7)

NURSE—For child of 5, assist second work 4953D McPherson av. (c)

NURSEGIRL—Experienced, for 3-year-old child. 4212 West Pine. (c)

NURSEGIRL—Between 14 and 18 years of age. Call Cabany 1925J. (c)

NURSE—Graduate female nurse for regular sanitarium duty; fair salary. 603 N. Garrison. (c7)

NURSE—To semi-invalid lady in University City; must know something of housekeeping; permanent position to one of cheerful and willing disposition; state age, references, experience and compensation. Box T-150, Post-Dispatch. (c)

OFFICE CLERK—We have vacancy for a young lady who possesses knowledge of general office work, bookkeeping, stenography and filing; opportunity for advance in motion picture distribution business. Reply in own hand writing and give telephone number. Box L-346, Post-Dispatch.

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OPERATOR—On custom pants. 505 Pontiac Bldg., 7th and Market.

OPERATORS—Experienced, on skirts; week work or piece work. Apply Style Co., Skirt Co., 923 Washington. (c)

OPERATOR—Embroidery marking machine; experience; college graduate preferred; good wages, reasonable hours. Box T-18, Post-Dispatch.

OPERATORS—On silk waists; our girls are making $18 to $20 per week; call and be convinced. Peltason Mfg. Co., 706 Lucas. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced on petticoats; steady work. Apply Sachs Mfg. Co., 923 Washington, 5th floor. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced on Singer machines. Apply Simmons Hardware Co., 22d and Lucas, 3d floor. (c)

OPERATORS—To sew on Government coats. Apply Curlee Clothing Co., 10th and North Market st. (c)

OPERATOR—Also presser on custom vests; good pay; call at once. Pearlman, 709 Pine st., room 304. (c30)

OPERATORS—With factory experience, to do home sewing; middies and dresses. Tiger-Weinstock Mfg. Co., 415 N. 9th. (c)

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

OPERATORS—Experienced on power machine, making bungalow aprons. L. Rainis, 2304 S. Broadway. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced on all parts of house dresses; steady work. Major Mfg. Co., 1110 Washington, 4th floor. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced on power machines; to learn straw sewing; guarantee wages. Stein-Poulson Mfg. Co., 1200 Washington. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced on middies and dresses; new Willcox & Gibbs machines. Tiger-Weinstock Co., 615 N. 9th. (c)

OPERATORS—On button and buttonhole sewers; overlock and 2-needle sleever; middies, dresses. Tiger-Weinstock Co., 615 N. 9th. (c)

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OPERATORS—On power machines; light work; best pay, large monthly bonus; steady work. Apply J. L. Sager Mfg. Co., 905 Washington. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced on dresses and bungalow aprons; also girls to learn; will pay while learning. American Petticoat Co., 4th floor, 1019 Washington.

OPERATORS—Experienced, on 2-needle flat bed machines; also embroidery marking operator; highest wages. Abbot Jacket Mfg. Co., 1110 Washington.

OPERATORS—A few experienced, on ladies' shirt waists; steady work; fair prices and short hours. Apply Premier Shirt Waist Factory, 3d floor, 808 N. 6th. (c3)

OPERATORS—On house dresses. Why go downtown when can work in your neighborhood? Steady work; good pay. Contract Mfg. Co., 19th and Dodier. (c)

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OPERATORS—On power sewing machines; beginners and experienced; light and easy work; pleasant surroundings; all year round; good wages. Jennings-Amos, 319 Spruce.

OPERATORS—Experienced power machine; on part work, on shirts, all parts; also girl to do floor work; also inspectors and trimmers on shirts; shirtmakers who have been doing home work and who can put in part of their time at factory; we will gladly provide with machines. Buckley Shirt Co., 210 S. Jefferson. (c2)

OPERATORS—To make children's dresses on power machines; you can earn $8 to $13 per week at piece work, if experienced; easy to learn for girls experienced on other lines of sewing; brightest and cleanest factory in the city; nice class of girls to work with; lunchroom and free coffee; Willcox & Gibbs machines; Saturday afternoons off; hand smockers and special machine operators also wanted. We will take a few girls to learn smocking or operating. Apply Monday, ready to work, or to reserve a machine. Mohr Garment Co., 803 Washington av. (c)

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On power machines; steady work; good wages. W. F. HOUCHIN, 1145 S. Broadway.

OPERATORS AND PRESSERS

Girls for button and buttonhole machines; also girls to press dresses; highest wages and steady work guaranteed. Apply at once. EISEMAN BROS., 3d floor, 318 N. 10th. (c1)

OPERATORS AND PRESSERS

Wanted, experienced on ladies' shirt waists and middy blouses; we guarantee all-year-round work and pay good wages. SCHWARZ & WILD, 712 N. 11th st

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Ten girl operators on power machines; previous experience not necessary; light, cheerful surroundings; expert teachers; $6 per week guaranteed while learning; splendid salary earned by operators after learning few days. Delmar Mfg. Co., 415 N. 8th st. (c2)

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OPERATORS—Experienced on power sewing machines on light leather work; Government contract. SIMMONS SADDLERY CO., 314 S. 9th st.

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FEEDERS—Experienced; and folders, shakers and girls to learn; apply ready for work, 2019 Lucas. (c1)

FLAT WORK FEEDERS—Folgers and shakers. Leader Laundry, 2515 Texas. (c)

FLAT WORK FOLDERS—Experienced. Apply New Mercantile Laundry, 3523 Market. (c)

IRONER—Experienced, Lungstras Dyeing and Cleaning, 1300 Park. (c8)

IRONERS—Ladies' clothes, good pay. Anderson Family Laundry, 4939 McPherson. (c)

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MARKER—And assorter. Apply Maplewood Laundry, 7316 Manchester. (c)

MARKERS—Experienced. Star Dyeing and Cleaning Co., 2915 N. Grand av.

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PLAIN CLOTHES IRONER—Colonial Laundry, 4016 Olive st. (c)

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SHAKERS—And girls to learn. Colonial Laundry, 4016 Olive st. (c)

SHIRT FINISHERS—Ladies' clothes ironers and mangle girls; good pay and board. Jefferson Hotel laundry, 12th and Locust. (c)

SHIRT FOLDERS—Colonial Laundry, 4016 Olive st. (c)

STARCHER—Experienced; and body ironer. Superior Laundry, 1745 S. 18th. (c)

STARCHER—Rough dry, sorter and bundle wrapper. Delmar Laundry Co., Ohio and Sidney. (c)

WASHERMAN — Experienced. Excelsior Laundry, 1012 N. Grand. (c)

WASHERMAN—On shirts and collars; colored man preferred. Apply Sunday morning, Anchor Laundry Co., 2019 Lucas. (c)

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LINING MAKERS—Top stitchers, hand folders. Apply International Shoe Co., Jefferson and St. Louis avs. (c)

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PACKERS—Experienced; tan repairers; also girls to learn. American Gentleman, 2900 Randomph. (c7)

PERFORATORS—Experienced; stayers; lining makers. Johansen Bros. Shoe Co., 3640 Laclede.

PUMP STITCHER—Vamper and table girls. Apply Locust St. Factory, 3417 Locust. (c)

SHOE WORKERS—Skivers, lining makers, eyeleters, top stitchers, vampers, folders and all-around stitchers. F. C. CHURCH SHOE CO., 2801 Benton. (c2)

VAMPERS—Lining makers and perforators; also girls experienced on power machines. Apply Mr. West, American Lady Factory, 2161 and Locust. (c1)

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For rent, city, solid agate, 10c per line. Wanted, hotels, roommate, country and suburban board, 15c per line. Room agencies, 25c per line. Discount 1c per line on three or more insertions.

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MISCELLANEOUS

ROOM—Southern exposure, for one or two gentlemen. Box E-384, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Modern apartment; private home; one or two gentlemen; Forest, 824.

ROOM—Furnished front room; hot-water heat. Lindell 3838.

ROOM—King's highway; Page car; clean room; modern flat; $12; quiet place. Forest 4667W.

ROOMS—Elegant, large, modern, refined; suite; two gentlemen. Owner, Lindell 2850W. (53x)

ROOM—Beautiful south room; widow's home; lady unemployed preferred. Box K-109, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Large, neatly furnished front room, steam heat; ladies or gentlemen. Lindell 777R.

ROOMS—Unfurnished or connecting housekeeping rooms; electricity; hot bath; $2.50 a week; Forest, 2366R.

ROOM—Southern front room; new mahogany furniture; family of three adults. Forest, 6791.

ROOMS—Two single south; light, adjoining; bath; $2.50; private home; Forest, 2486W.

ROOM—Nicely furnished room; steam heat; hot water; all conveniences; phone, Forest, 3286.

ROOM—For one or two ladies; modern conveniences; use of kitchen. Box W-165, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—In modern, heated apartment; one or two gentlemen; reasonable. Forest 3516W or Delmar 3353L.

ROOMS—Two furnished front sleeping rooms, double; single; board optional. Box B-41, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Well furnished; use of kitchen; dining room and living room; in modern private home; references required; Forest, 5370J.

CENTRAL

BELL, 3018A—Newly furnished front room; electric light; free Bell phone.

BIDDLE, 2115—Furnished room, second floor, with kitchen; light housekeeping; $1.50 weekly.

CASS, 1827—Large, clean housekeeping rooms; private home; bath; reasonable.

CASS, 2509—Neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; gas, bath and heat.

CHOUTEAU, 3501—2 nicely furnished rooms with bath; $3 per week.

CHOUTEAU, 1724—Connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping; also other rooms; gas, laundry.

COMPTON, 1612 N.—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping; conveniences.

EASTON, 3108—Large second floor front room; housekeeping; phone.

EASTON, 3106—Furnished single or connecting rooms; housekeeping; phone.

FRANKLIN, 3637A—Connecting bed room and kitchen for light housekeeping; cook stove and gas; $2.50 per week.

FRANKLIN, 3633A—Two large unfurnished front rooms; bath; front entrance; $9.

FRANKLIN, 3717—Housekeeping rooms; cooking; illuminating gas; furnace heat; phone; $5.50 a week.

GAMBLE, 2930—Two connecting rooms, housekeeping; gas range, electric lights.

GAMBLE, 2511—Furnished front parlor; sleeping; also front room; housekeeping; $1.25.

GLASGOW PL., 3023—2 or 3 furnished rooms for housekeeping; $19, $16.

GRAND, 1705 N.—Neatly furnished room; private home. Lindell 1858R.

GRAND, 2 N.—Neatly furnished room; reasonable.

LACLEDE, 3547—Second floor housekeeping rooms; heat, gas, bath; phone; $2 a week.

LACLEDE, 3704—Neat, clean rooms for light housekeeping; gas and furnace heat; $2.50.

LAWTON, 3500—Newly papered rooms; steam heat; furnished and unfurnished. Lindell 3500.

LINDELL BL., 3526—Warm, sunny rooms; electric lights; phone. (7)

LOCUST, 3127—100 clean, modern, steam-heated rooms; 75c day, $3 week. (6)

MORGAN, 3541—Unfurnished room.

MORGAN, 2215½—Furnished room; gas, hot bath.

MORGAN, 1267½—Rooms furnished or unfurnished.

OLIVE, 2206—Front housekeeping rooms; single suite, electric lights, gas, heat.

OLIVE, 1412A—Furnished rooms; $1.50, $2, $2.50 per week.

OLIVE, 4139—Large, airy room; furnished; hardwood floors; mantles and gas log; conveniences; location; single men; phone, Lindell, 6444.

TENTH, 5 S.—Cor market; light housekeeping; $2, other rooms $1.25 up.

THOMAS, 3115—Connecting rooms; all conveniences.

WASHINGTON, 3629—Large, light, convenient unfurnished rooms.

WASHINGTON, 3402—Two conecting rooms for light housekeeping; hot bath; free phone. (1)

WASHINGTON, 3117, 3119—Housekeeping and sleeping rooms; phone; heat; $2, $2.75, $3.

WASHINGTON, 3424—Large front room for light housekeeping; furnace heat; gas for cooking; $3 and up.

SOUTH

ALBION PL., 2340A—Nicely furnished front room.

ALLEN, 1715A—Furnished front room, private family.

ARSENAL, 3531A—Neatly furnished hall room; reasonable; all conveniences.

ARSENAL, 3526A—Neatly furnished front room; all conveniences; three car lines.

ARSENAL, 3138—Nicely furnished room; private.

BERTHOLD, 4916A—Near King's highway; two rooms, furnished, with all conveniences for housekeeping.

BISMARCK, 2404—2 connecting furnished rooms, for light housekeeping.

BOTANICAL, 4137—Large front room; hot-water heat, all conveniences; for one or two gentlemen. Grand 89M.

BROADWAY, 1212 S.—Rooms for light housekeeping; $1.75.

BROADWAY, 2319 S.—Three large, bright rooms, 2d floor; $11.

BROADWAY 2844 S.—Nicely furnished large room to one or two gentlemen; Southern exposure.

CALIFORNIA, 3219—Furnished rooms, reasonable.

CALIFORNIA, 3743—Two rooms and kitchen; electric light. Inquire 3118A Cherokee.

CALIFORNIA, 1716—Nice, light front room for gentlemen; also for light housekeeping; private family.

CAROLINE, 3559A—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping; gas, electric and free phone; no objections to baby; $4 week.

CASTLEMAN, 3957A—Furnished front room; all conveniences. Grand 2647R.

CHAMBERS, 2753—Nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; steam heat.

CHIPPEWA, 2754—2 nice front rooms; water and toilet; third floor; $7.

CLEVELAND, 3946A—Neatly furnished room; all conveniences.

CLEVELAND, 4007—Furnished front room; private family; rent reasonable.

CLEVELAND, 4011—Furnished room; all conveniences; modern residence; private family; gentlemen; reasonable.

DILLON, 1307—Sleeping rooms, $1.50; also others, $2. Central 9576J. (7)

DILLON, 1203—Furnished front housekeeping rooms; gas, bath, laundry; cheap.

DOLMAN, 1224—Connecting rooms for housekeeping; private family; all conveniences.

EADS, 3012—Large, furnished room; all conveniences; private residence; gentlemen.

EADS, 3005—Two large, unfurnished rooms; gas and electric.

LIGHTEEN H, 1200 S.—2 large front rooms, light housekeeping, bath, all conveniences; cheap.

FOLSOM, 3624—Furnished rooms for rent.

GEYER 2049—Neatly furnished front room; two gentleman or couple; private.

GRAND, 3211A S.—Furnished front hall room; steam heat and bat...

GRAND, 2241 S.—Nicely furnished rooms; 1 or 2 gentlemen; nice location; reasonable; private. Grand 2062.

GRAVOIS, 3506—Brick building, 3 rooms, water, gas, large yard. Forest 3760.

HENRIETTA, 3356—Nicely furnished front room; hot water, electric; private family.

HICKORY, 4908—Three nice, bright rooms; second floor.

HICKORY, 1909—Two connecting front rooms, furnished; water in kitchen; $3.50 week. (7)

HUMPHREY, near Grand—Nicely furnished front room for 1 or 2 gentlemen willing to pay for something out of the ordinary; references exchanged. Box T-348, Post-Dis.

IOWA, 3627—Neatly furnished room, with alcove; electric lights, phone, bath; convenient to 4 car lines.

JEFFERSON, 2117 S.—Nicely furnished front room for gentleman; $1.75 a week.

JUNIATA, 3639—Elegantly furnished south room.

KENNETT PL., 1803—One furnished room.

KENNETT PL., 1802—One room and kitchenette, furnished complete for housekeeping; 3d floor.

LAFAYETTE, 2621—2 front connecting rooms, hot water, bath and laundry.

LAFAYETTE, 2911—Furnished room for lady employed; private family; references.

LAFAYETTE, 3216—For one or two gentlemen, large, light room; nicely furnished; steam heated; adjoining bath; hot water; on three car lines; excellent location, neighborhood; no other roomers; terms reasonable; references.

LA SALLE, 1917—Nicely furnished light housekeeping room; furnace heat; gas.

LA SALLE, 1920—Large, bright rooms, for housekeeping or gentlemen, hall room, gas heater, $1.50.

LA SALLE, 1805—Large front room, connecting for light housekeeping; children allowed.

McREE 3828A—Large, southern room; private family; all conveniences. Grand 2870R.

MAGNOLIA, 3440A—Pleasant room, family of 2; Grand, Fourth, Compton cars; reasonable.

MISSOURI, 1722—Nicely furnished room; light housekeeping; hot and cold water.

MISSOURI, 1738—Two large, connecting rooms, complete for housekeeping; gas, bath, furnace heat; private family.

MISSOURI, 2906—3 rooms and attic; rent $10; also 3308, three rooms and basement, $9.

NEBRASKA, 1906—Pleasant room, modern; gentlemen preferred.

NEBRASKA 2616—Two nice rooms for light housekeeping; electric and bath; private family. Victor 2122X.

OHIO, 1729A—Two unfurnished rooms.

OHIO, 3312—Two furnished rooms; furnace heat, bath. Victor 2338L.

PARK, 2914A—2 rooms, for light housekeeping; private family.

PARK, 2923—Furnished room, convenient to three car lines.

PARK, 2618—Nice housekeeping room; free Bell phone, laundry; second-floor front; reasonable.

PARK, 2617—Widow wants to rent nice, clean room, to 2 gentlemen, for $12 per month, with privileges of parlor, player-piano, phone; no sign; good restaurant across street.

PENNSYLVANIA, 3621—3 nice, large rooms.

PESTALOZZI 2001—Two large, clean rooms, water, gas, laundry; first floor.

ROOM—Small family with extra large southern exposed, modern room; suitable for a quiet business man; $2.50 per week. Box-329, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Beautiful large Southern exposed front room with small private family in steam heated apartment; near Grand; convenient to Tower Grove and Fourth cars; all conveniences.

ROOM—1801A—Furnished front room.

RUSSELL, 2747—Clean rooms, electricity, bath, splendid neighborhood, near cars; single $2; double, $3; call before noon or Monday.

RUTGER, 1817—Rooms for light housekeeping; bath and phone.

RUTGER, 3676—Nice, clean rooms; electric lights; southern exposure. Grand 3661R.

ST. VINCENT, 2783—One room for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

ST. VINCENT, 2751—Furnished room, electric light; reasonable; furnace; gentlemen.

SALENA, 3503—Corner Utah; furnished room for 1 or 2 gents; good surroundings.

SHAW, 4132—Steam-heated front room; gentleman; all conveniences; family of two; private home, $2.25 weekly. Grand 1966W.

SHENANDOAH, 3815—Furnished room, 2d floor. Grand 4059M.

SHENANDOAH, 3136A—Two partly furnished rooms; all conveniences.

SHENANDOAH 3810—Large furnished room; reasonable. Victor 1000R.

SHENANDOAH, 4047A—Light housekeeping room; all conveniences. Grand 3261J.

SHENANDOAH, 3801A—Furnished large front room; hot bath, electricity; Kinloch phone; reasonable.

SHENANDOAH, 3948—Comfortable room, private family; every convenience; gentleman couple employed.

SHENANDOAH, 3937—Neatly furnished room for two employed; private family; all conveniences; four car lines.

SHENANDOAH, 1014 S.—One furnished sleeping room; private family; quiet.

SHENANDOAH N, 3817—Furnished room for light housekeeping.

SHERIDAN, 3576—Two rooms, $8; newly papered and painted.

WYOMING 3547—Newly furnished rooms; steam-heated, hot water, modern conveniences; close to Fourth and Tower Grove cars. Corner Grand.

SOUTH

AUBERT, 736—Furnished room. Call Forest 3818.

AUBERT, 721—Nicely furnished housekeeping room; every convenience; Delmar, Hodiamont cars.

AUBERT, 737—One nicely furnished front room; all conveniences. Phone Forest 2821J.

AUBERT, 793—Well-furnished room, in private family, with southern and western exposures; gentlemen prefered; call before 1 Sunday. Forest 3500R.

BARTMER, 5423—Large front room; all conveniences; very reasonable.

BAYARD, 907—Nicely furnished rooms for gents; private family. Forest 6547W.

BAYARD, 1228—Two-room house in rear; $17.50 per month.

BAYARD, 735A—Nicely furnished room for 1 or 2 gentlemen; conveniences; reasonable.

BAYARD, 760—Furnished room; private family.

BAYARD, 1122—Two furnished connecting rooms; steam heat; electricity. Forest 3564W.

BAYARD, 736—Large second-floor front room; all conveniences; reasonable. Forest 7835J.

BELT, 777—Large steam-heated front room; private family. Call Forest 3806M.

CABANNE, 5218—Two desirable furnished rooms. Phone Forest 6198.

CABANNE, 5549A—Beautifully furnished south rooms; twin beds; single or housekeeping.

CABANY 5015—Two large elegantly furnished Southern front room; single or en suite; hot water heat, continous hot water. West End home, phone, gentlemen only.

CATES, 5065—Large, comfortable front room; southern exposure; private family; phone.

CATES 5085—Nicely furnished rooms; low rates; hot and cold water. Forest 3493W.

CATES, 5221—Large, front room and kitchenette, nicely furnished; modern; private family; convenient to cars. Forest 6218R.

CLARA, 775—Two high front apartment basement, with outside entrance, including light, heat, hot-water and gas; cheap. Phone Cabany 4719W.

CLARENDON 807—Two unfurnished; or one furnished room; kitchen, private; adults.

COOK 4233—Three unfurnished; with bath, gas and electric; large alcove, $14.

COOK, 4244W—Parties employed can secure two nice connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping; gas, bath, electricity; $4 week. Lindell 2048W.

DELAWARE, 1114—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished, for light housekeeping; suitable for couple, electric light, heat, gas and bath; rent reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 4140—Housekeeping suite; all conveniences. Lindell 4046W.

DELMAR BL., 5011A—Beautifully furnished room, steam heat, all convs. (7)

DELMAR, 4471—Three large housekeeping rooms; $8 a week; heat, light, gas, yard.

DELMAR BL., 4136A—Furnished front room; every convenience. Call after 7 p. m.

DELMAR BL., 3922—3d-floor front sleeping room; electric lights, telephone; $1.75.

DELMAR BL., 4176—Furnished room in apartment; private family. Lindell 2726W.

DELMAR BL., 4062—Neatly furnished room for light housekeeping.

DELMAR BL., 3706—Private family; raise produce; will room and board 3.

DELMAR BL., 3713—Large, bright, unfurnished room, and also furnished single room.

DELMAR BL., 5050—First floor front rooms, for sleeping, $2.50 and $4 week.

DELMAR BL., 4448A—Two housekeeping rooms, all conveniences; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 5181—Large, warm rooms, every home convenience; continuous hot water; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 5083A—Single and double rooms, private family, all conveniences; Bell phone.

DELMAR BL., 3816—Cheerful rooms, second floor; all conveniences; free phone; gentlemen. Lindell 2726W. (56)

HAMILTON, 623 (corner Delmar—Newly furnished rooms; steam heat, hot water, bath. Cabany 6447. (2)

DELMAR BL., 4948—Beautiful furnished front room; heat, electricity, phone; private home.

DELMAR BL., 4019—Nicely furnished room; furnace heat, electricity, continuous hot water; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 4154—Very desirable furnished 2d-story front room; all conveniences; gentleman; private family.

DELMAR BL., 4370—Nicely furnished front room, hot bath, phone, convenient locality; $2.

DELMAR 4467A—Large, well furnished room; private family; $3 a week; electricity; phone.

DELMAR BL., 4013—Large 2d-story alcove; housekeeping; hot water, phone, electricity; private.

DELMAR BL., 3726—Comfortable furnished front rooms, $2.25, $2.50, $3; housekeeping; conveniences; telephone.

DELMAR BL., 4045—Beautiful, furnished front room, heat, electricity, phone, private home.

DELMAR BL., 4413—One 2d-floor room, complete housekeeping; gas, phone, electricity, phone, laundry, continuous hot water.

DELMAR BL., 3910—Two connecting unfurnished rooms; front; newly papered; gas; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 3874—Large, comfortable front room; kitchen privilege; Lindell 3661W.

DELMAR BL., 5015A—Light, heated room; all conveniences; $2.50; electricity; Delmar cars.

DELMAR BL., 3817—Two clean rooms, furnished complete, housekeeping; phone, heat, gas range, sink, linens; couple employed; $18 month.

DELMAR BL., 3723—Room and kitchen; sink, hot and cold water, gas range, hot-water heat; free Bell phone; convenient all car lines; 2d floor.

DELMAR BL., 4052—Nicely furnished, clean, cheerful rooms; continuously heated rooms; continuous hot bath, electricity; free Bell phone, sleeping, housekeeping; respectable adults, $2.50 up. Lindell 5588.

EASTON, 6128A—Furnished room; two gentlemen.

EASTON 5550A — All conveniences; free phone; private family; Forest 1727J.

EASTON, 4104A—2 rooms, bath, water, light, $2 week.

EUCLID, 1202—One nice room to couple; use of kitchen.

EUCLID, 1614—Free rent to married couple; woman help with sewing.

EUCLID, 1421 N.—Two connecting rooms for light housekeeping; hot-water heat, electricity, phone.

EVANS, 4216—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping.

EVANS, 3750—Nicely furnished light bedroom; one or two gentlemen.

EVANS, 4581—Two rooms for light housekeeping.

EVANS, 4471 (rear)—3 bright, homelike rooms; gas, water; fine yard; small family; $10.

FINNEY, 3907A—Nicely furnished room; gentleman; private home; all conveniences; phone.

FINNEY, 3712—One room; nicely furnished; for light housekeeping; good heat.

FOUNTAIN, 4825—Nice clean rooms; private home; housekeeping if desired.

GAMBLETON PL., 6132—7-room, up-to-date residence; hot and cold water, electric lights; newly decorated; large yard; good neighborhood; rent $35.

HAMILTON 951—Front room Southern and Eastern exposures; continous hot water; $2 a week.

KENSINGTON, 5128A—A nice, light front room suitable for two.

KENSINGTON 5165—Nicely furnished room, with use of reception room and phone.

KENSINGTON, 5152—Furnished front room adjoining bath; continuous hot water; private residence; small family; business man; reference.

KING'S HIGHWAY, 832A N.—Immaculate clean room; particular people; gentleman or ladies employed.

KING'S HIGHWAY, 834 N.—Two rooms; furnished with the best for housekeeping.

KING'S HIGHWAY, 1245 N.—Room in apartment for 1 or 2 persons employed. breakfast if desired. Page car.

KING'S HIGHWAY, 1408A N.—Hall room; hot-water heat; electric light.

KING'S HIGHWAY, 1202A N.—Young woman having steam-heated apartment would rent room with all conveniences. Call Sunday or after 7 p. m. Forest 4749R.

LACLEDE, 4125—Furnished, 2d floor room; steam heat, electric lights, very reasonable.

LACLEDE, 3905—Kitchen, adjoining large room, furnished, private; adults.

LACLEDE, 4916—3 complete housekeeping rooms, Taylor-Laclede cars.

LACLEDE, 4488—Neatly furnished room, all conveniences; private family, suitable for girls or couple employed; kitchen privileges.

LACLEDE, 4926A—3 large, furnished rooms, all conveniences; reasonable; near Forest Park.

LACLEDE 4056A—Neatly furnished cozy warm front room for sleeping; gents private.

LACLEDE, 3727—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; gas, electricity and running water.

LEE, 4532—Furnished room, all modern conveniences.

LINDELL BL., 4324A—Nicely furnished, southern room; heat, hot water, telephone, reasonable.

LINDELL BL., 4055—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; hot water heat. Lindell 4053R.

McMILLAN, 4576—Steam-heated room, Page, Hodiamont, Taylor cars; private. $2.50.

McPHERSON, 4705—1 or 2 unfurnished rooms; electricity; gas; phone Forest 838.

McPHERSON 4061—Furnished hall rooms, front and back, all modern conveniences.

McPHERSON, 4065—Furnished front room southern exposure; Bell phone.

McPHERSON, 4468A—Attractive furnished room, all conveniences; gentlemen or ladies employed; reasonable. Forest 1714.

McPHERSON, 3925A—Cheerful room, steam heat; continuous hot water; use of kitchen.

McPHERSON, 4038—Two nice light-housekeeping rooms; One or both; all conveniences. (66)

McPHERSON, 3923A—Large front room; southern exposure; continuous hot water; Bell phone; gents only. (7)

MAPLE, 5942—Single front room for gentleman; southern exposure. Cabany 2862W.

MARCUS, 1520—2 rooms, light housekeeping, 2 in family; 4700 west.

MARYVILLE, 926 (Cabanne)—One or more furnished rooms; residence. Delmar 3435L.

MILLAND, 4108—2 and 3 room suites, unfurnished; heat, electric light and gas, furnished; call Sunday.

MARYLAND, 4240—Nicely furnished, connecting 2d-floor front rooms; all conveniences.

MINERVA, 5932—Furnished front room; all conveniences; will give breakfast. Cabany 4953R.

NEWSTEAD 519—Newly furnished and decorated sleeping room.

PAGE 5220A—Nicely furnished rooms; phone and all conveniences.

PAGE 4539—Front room; kitchen privileges one or two people.

PAGE BL., 4577A—Nicely furnished hall room; private family; all conveniences.

PAGE BL., 3900A—Nicely furnished room, suitable for lady or gentleman.

PAGE BL., 3643—Neatly furnished room; gas, bath, phone; $1.50 week.

PAGE BL., 5377—Two connecting rooms; also housekeeping rooms; sink, gas range, heat, electric, gas, plenty heat.

PAGE BL., 4005—Housekeeping rooms; hot water, electric, gas, plenty heat.

PAGE BL., 4477—2 or 3 connecting housekeeping rooms; all conveniences; no children.

PAGE BL., 5279—Three furnished rooms; housekeeping; gas range, sink, electricity, heat; adults.

PENDLETON 912A—Light room; privilege kitchen, steam heat, electricity, hot water, phone.

PENDLETON 915—Two unfurnished rooms with kitchen, electric, gas and heat furnished.

PENDLETON, 1325—Neatly furnished little place; gas range, linens, complete for housekeeping; $5 weekly.

RUTGER 5071—One furnished room, with or without access to kitchen.

ROOMS—3 housekeeping rooms, for 2 refined people, in private home. Cabany 1389J.

ROOM—Nicely furnished, in apartment, 5600 west; $2.50 week. Forest 1367J.

ROOM—Furnished, with or without use of kitchen, for couple or lady. Call 1119 Hamilton av., south of Etzel av.

ROOM—Newly furnished, modern conveniences; reasonable to permanent. Lindell 1660W, after 5 p. m.

ROOM—Bachelors wanting comforts of refined, genteel home, call Delmar 4616 for particulars.

ROOM—Private family will rent to gentleman very attractive southern exposed 2d-floor front; modern conveniences; Laclede, Taylor, Olive, Maryland lines. Call Forest 3167.

RUGBY PL. 2.—Opposite 1212 Aubert; nice clean unfurnished rooms; bath, gas.

SARAH, 718 N.—Furnished rooms; furnace heat. Bell phone.

SARAH 715—One unfurnished room with gas and bath.

SEMPLE, 1643—Furnished room, light housekeeping; 2 connecting, 1 single; gas range, continuous hot water; good heat; electricity; large yard; cool for summer; reasonable; 5560 west; Wellston cars. Forest 1735.

STEWART PL., 1457—Three or fun unfurnished rooms; private family; must have references; all conveniences.

TAYLOR, 1302A N.—Nice front room; private home; couple or two gentlemen.

VERNON, 5750—Room; sleeping or housekeeping; convenient to churches, schools and cars; reasonable.

VON VERSEN, 5064—Rooms; reasonable; all conveniences.

VON VERSEN, 5002—Nicely furnished room; all conveniences. Forest 2393M.

VON VERSEN, 4015—South front room, $2.50. Lindell 2321.

VON VERSEN, 4029—Furnished or unfurnished, second-floor front room.

VON VERSEN, 5064—Elegantly furnished room; private fam.; refs.; Delmar 4713J.

VON VERSEN, 4059—Large, south-front room, $3; smaller room; housekeeping if desired.

VON VERSEN, 4257—2 light housekeeping rooms; gas range, icebox, electric, bath, both phones.

VON VERSEN, 4137—Housekeeping rooms; 1 or 2; all modern conveniences; furnished or unfurnished; Delmar 2509J.

VON VERSEN, 4061—Front room, with kitchenette; gas range; handsomely furnished, well heated.

VON VERSEN, 4103—Connecting rooms for housekeeping; well heated, gas range, bath, electricity.

VON VERSEN, 3837—Two large, well-furnished rooms, complete for housekeeping; adults.

VON VERSEN, 5943—Furnished room in private home; gentlemen or ladies employed. Call after 6. Cabany 2939W.

VON VERSEN, 3906—Neatly furnished rooms, reasonable; all conveniences, for ladies or gentlemen. (7)

VON VERSEN, 5200—Light, single room, continuous hot water, steam heat, in private family; 3 adults. Phone Forest 2867R. (11)

WALTON 753A—Furnished room, sleeping or housekeeping; Bell phone; electric light.

WALTON, 672—Room, sleeping or kitchen privilege; gentlemen or couple; phone; reasonable.

WASHINGTON BL., 4519—2d-story front room; hot-water heat, all conveniences. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 4520—Front room; furnished, with bath. Cabany 6418R.

WASHINGTON BL., 4923—Front room; single or double; also single room; hot water.

WASHINGTON BL., 4743A—Nice, warm, clean rooms for gentlemen only; reasonable.

WASHINGTON BL., 3804—2d floor front room; sleeping or housekeeping.

WASHINGTON BL., 3909—Furnished front parlor, 2d floor; all conveniences; gentlemen employed; reasonable.

WASHINGTON BL., 3937—Connecting 3d-floor furnished housekeeping rooms; closet; coal; furnished; $5.50.

WASHINGTON BL., 4556—Well-furnished rooms; electricity; phone; hot-water heat; private.

WASHINGTON BL., 4830—Nicely furnished warm room; reasonable; all modern conveniences; Bell phone.

WASHINGTON BL., 4550—Handsome front and single rooms; continuous hot water; owner's home; choice.

WASHINGTON BL., 4736A—Connecting rooms for housekeeping, with gas range, hot water heat.

WASHINGTON BL., 3726—Large front room; private bath; every convenience; gentlemen.

WASHINGTON BL., 4071A—Rooms and kitchenette; electricity, phone; $5 per week.

WASHINGTON BL., 3871—Front parlor; one or two gentlemen; newly furnished; every convenience.

WASHINGTON BL., 3858—Second-floor front, for two gentlemen; hot bath, phone; reasonable.

WASHINGTON BL., 4503 (Apt. F)—Furnished front room in elegant apartment; bath; gentleman.

WASHINGTON BL., 3853—Nicely furnished room; private family; all conveniences; free phone.

WASHINGTON BL., 4028—Large front room; two gentlemen or couple; every convenience; reasonable.

WASHINGTON 4545—Southern exposed well-furnished, steam heated room; every convenience.

WASHINGTON BL. 4455—Furnished room for one; references required. Inquire 4458 Washington bl.

WASHINGTON BL., 4545—Southern-exposed, well furnished, steam-heated room; every convenience.

WASHINGTON BL., 4579—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; 2d floor; modern conveniences.

WASHINGTON 3823—Large Southern exposed room, elegantly furnished; electricity, running water, steam heat, both phones; private home.

WATERMAN, 5284—Furnished room, steam heat, kitchen privilege; private family; reasonable.

WATERMAN 55xx—Large furnished Southern exposed room; moderate steam heated apartment, private family; reference exchanged; cabany 1778.

WELLS, 5327—Large, unfurnished front room, newly papered, painted; gas, bath, electric, heat furnished; telephone; owner's home.

WEST BELLE 4587A—Nice light room; modern; $7 and $3; steam heat.

WEST BELLE STER, 4567—Furnished room; steam heat; Hodiamont car; private family.

WESTMINSTER PL., 3954—Furnished room; private home.

WESTMINSTER PL., 3854—Neatly furnished front room, $4; modern conveniences

WESTMINSTER PL., 3912—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; for gentlemen.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4032A—Large front single room; modern apartment; private; business people; reasonable.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4009—3d-floor rooms for housekeeping; conveniences; Lindell 6414W.

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WESTMINSTER PL., 3811—Furnished room; suitable for two; all conveniences.

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WEST PINE BL., 3634—Cosy furnished rooms; steam heat, electricity, free phone.

WEST PINE BL., 4041—Furnished room for housekeeping.

WEST PINE BL., 4011—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

WEST PINE BL., 3860—2 basement rooms, all conveniences; electricity and gas; private entrance.

WEST PINE BL., 3690—Furnished, front room and kitchenette, $5.50; Sleeping rooms, $1.25; conveniences.

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ATHLONE, 4561A—Nicely furnished room, 2 ladies employed or couple. O'Fallon Park District; convenient to 2 car lines. (1)

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CORA, 1918—Nicely furnished rooms; private family; reasonable.

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FAIR, 4502—Choice furnished front room; private family; all conveniences; gentlemen.

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GRAND, 1810 N.—Furnished front room; gas and electric and free phone; reasonable.

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KENNERLY, 3902—Two nicely furnished rooms; housekeeping; bath; gas range; phone; $3.75.

KENNERLY, 3908—Two rooms; light housekeeping; abth; furnace; Lindell, 5482W.

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NEWSTEAD, 2905A N.—Neatly furnished front and dining room; electric, bath; private family; Taylor and Cass cars.

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NORTHLAND 5067—Bright, well furnished front room for two; home conveniences; $2 each; private family; board optional; phone.

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KNIVES AND FORKS—For sale, 1 dozen pearl handled; salad forks, 1 dozen solid silver teaspoons, cut glass and hand painted vases, electric iron; leaving city; will sell cheap. Box B-90, Post-Dispatch.

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MACHINES—For sale, lot of penny and nickel-in-the-slot machines; also guns. J. Wiedis, 3810 Delmar. Lindell 2487R. (c99)

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MANURE—For sale, 1 load. 1718 N. Taylor.

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PLUMBING and heating supplies sold direct at wholesale prices. 30 to 50 per cent saving on complete bathroom outfits, tubs, closets, lavatories, kitchen sinks and all other plumbing and heating material; prompt shipment from a complete stock; the only house selling up-to-date guaranteed material at wholesale direct. Write for catalogue and prices. Independent Plumbing and Heating Supply Co., 1117 Chestnut st. (c60)

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POOL TABLE—For sale, barber fixtures, or will trade for chickens, incubator, rabbits or furniture; call Sunday. 1141 Walton.

POOL TABLE—For sale, 4¼x9; set ivory balls. 3651 Finney.

POOL TABLES—For sale, $5 month; balls furnished complete; good bargain. 4137 Olive. (96)

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REFRIGERATOR SHOWCASE—For sale; very fine; never been used; guaranteed by responsible manufacturer; low price and most liberal terms. Address Refrigerator, care Box J-98, Post-Dispatch.

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TYPEWRITER—For sale, Smith Premier No. 2; contractor's outfit, assortment of tools, etc.; cabinetmaker's assortment of tools, etc. 3636 Morgan. (c)

VACUUM CLEANER—For sale, Royal electric, new; will take anything of value in part payment. Box B-20, Post-Dispatch.

VEGETABLE SCALES—For sale, the kind to meet city sellers' requirements; largest stock, lowest price. Howe Scale Co., 409 N. 4th st. (c)

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APPAREL wanted of men's suits, overcoats, ladies' dresses; need badly; pay up to $25, suit; cash or trade. Will call. Delmar 866, Forest 707. 4426 Page. Gelber, (c)

ARTICULATED SKELETON Wtd.—For night study, by three students who work during the day; will some doctor surrender the skeleton in his closet? State condition and price. Box W-384, Post-Dispatch.

BATHTUB Wtd.—Five-foot; good condition; cheap. Box W-387, Post-Dispatch.

CARPENTER'S TOOLS Wtd.—Gents' clothing, size 40; trunk. Box B-885, P.-D.

CASH REGISTERS Wtd.—Electric fan. 917 Walton av. Forest 8373.

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CASH paid for clean newspapers, magazines, when tied in neat bundles, burlap bags, rubber tires, old rubber shoes, leather shoes, feathers, copper wire, copper, brass, lead, lead foil, tinfoil, rags, old clothing, rugs, old carpets, old iron, etc.; be sure and sell your junk at once before present prices drop. Our autoe will call anywhere in the city or county. Phone Grand 1060. International, 1014-16-18 Ohio av. (c)

CUCKOO CLOCKS Wtd.—Old, for cash; or will repair. 453 Gibson; Grand 163M.

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ELECTRIC FAN Wtd.—Alternating current, and must be in first-class condition; 10-inch preferred. Phone Central 3811L.

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GO-CART Wtd.—Twin. Phone Sidney 1040

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LIBERTY BONDS Wtd.—For cash. Box A-12, Post-Dispatch. (c8)

LIBERTY BONDS Wtd.—Will pay cash. Box K-82, Post-Dispatch. (c)

LOGS Wtd.—Prices on cypress logs, delivered at Bradley, Ark. J. M. Barker, Bradley, Ark. (99)

LUMBER Wtd.—Build 10x16 chicken house; must be bargain. Box B-218, P.-D.

MEAT CHOPPER Wtd.—2943 Madison, Tyler (c)

POOL TABLE Wtd.—To be used on dining room table; good condition; reasonable. C. Johnson, P. O. Box 563, St. Louis.

RADIATORS Wtd.—Two or three, hot water; about 75 to 100 foot each. Box T-6, Post-Dispatch.

REVOLVERS Wtd.—Old revolvers, guns, Indian stone relics; give description. Box B-156, Post-Dispatch.

SCAFFOLD Wtd.—Buck painter's or painter's scaffold or stage. Call Delmar 1627, (c)

SHOTGUN Wtd.—Remington automatic. Central 1855 or Olive 2911. (c)

SHOTGUN Wtd.—Automatic revolver; in exchange for dental work. Riverside 1309.

SHOTGUN Wtd.—State Kind and price. W. Sandford, 1179 N. King's highway. Forest 1134W

SHOTGUN Wtd.—Revolvers, rifles, leather goods. Minsen, 1521 S. Broadway. Sidney 966. (c99)

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WARDROBE TRUNK Wtd.—Good secondhand. Address Mr. Dunham, Colonial Hotel.

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BEST cash price old gold, silver, platinum, diamonds, old or broken false teeth, watches, jewelry, etc. Will call anywhere in city or county. Phone Grand 1060. International, 1014-16-18 Ohio av. (c)

BED—For sale, iron folding bed, ¾ iron bed, gas laundry stove. Delmar 2262X. 4426 Kennerly.

BED—For sale, white hospital bed; automatic Singer sewing machine; table; raincoat, size 40; all perfect condition. Call Monday. Forest 4241W. (c)

BEDROOM SUITES—Almost new; William-Mary dining suite; piano, davenette set, library table, rugs, automobile; bargains. 5127 Cabanne. (4)

BEDS—Wood, less than half price. Parlor Suites—Elegant, leather-covered, 3-piece mahogany, $15 each. Dressers—Oak with plate glass, from $5 to $8 each. Library Tables—Mahogany and oak, from $6.50 to $7 each. Chiffoniers—From $5 to $7 each. Chairs—Cane-seated, a bargain; $1 each. Stoves—Consisting of pitcher and 6 glasses, 40c per set. Wm. G. Willard, 316 Chestnut st. (c)

BEDS—For sale; all iron, new cotton-top mattresses, all iron springs, $7 up; also glass-door safes, $4 up; dressers, $5 up; washstand to match, $1.50 each; center tables, $1; chairs, 50c up; rockers, $1.50 up; wardrobes, $10 up. Our crowded house of all kinds of up-to-date furniture at very low price; our goods are all strictly secondhand in name only; we sell for cash to everybody; we deliver free everywhere in town; packing and shipping free for cash to everybody buyers; we sell wholesale to dealers in carload lots; take Belt car, it passes our door, or Bellefontaine, Tower or Chouteau car and get off at 1215 and Clark, walk 2 blocks west and turn south or transfer on Belt line; look for the name of Levy Bros., 311-13-15 S. 14th st.

BEDROOM SUITE—For sale, 3-piece, Circassian walnut, good condition, Cabany 6242R.

BEDROOM SUITE—For sale, Circassian walnut, only $45, cost $125. 3615 Laclede.

BEDSPREAD—For sale; hand crochet; Battenberg pattern. Forest 1441R.

BEDROOM SUITE—For sale, davenport, parlor suite; leather; mahogany. 3644A Louisiana.

BEDROOM SETS—For sale; $3; sideboards, $3; wardrobes, $3; gas ranges, $2; dressers, beds, 1701 S. 14th st. (c99)

BEDROOM SUITE—For sale; dining room and player-piano, library table, rugs; used 4 months. 4921 Washington. (c62)

BEDROOM SUITE—For sale; bird's-eye maple; dandy; also rugs, stoves, etc.; Sunday, 5025 Beacon av., near Union and Lillian.

BEDROOM SUIT—For sale, circassian; oak dining furniture, 3-piece fiber porch set, and several rugs; practically brand-new; sacrifice of 50 per cent or more. Box B-310, Post-Dispatch.

BEDROOM SUIT—For sale, 3-piece, circassian walnut, including spring and mattress; also washable Wilton rug, used less than a year; cost $225; will sell for $125; no dealers. Box B-311, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKCASE—Mahogany combination bookcase and desk, $9.50. 2537 Olive st.

BOOKCASE—For sale; large wall; oak; $10. 4349A St. Louis.

BOX COUCH—$6.50; davenport, $12.50; library table, $4.50; rugs; bedroom set, 3837 Delmar bl.

BRASS BED—For sale, springs and mattress, only $15, 3615 Laclede.

BRASS BED—For sale; complete; reasonable. 2818A S. 13th.

BRASS BEDS—For sale, dressers, rugs, dressing table, dining chairs. 4007 West Pine bl.

BRASS BED—$18.50, chifferobe $15, dresser $8.50, refrigerator $9, range $1.50, mattress $1.50, chairs 50c. 4319 Easton. (c7)

BRASS BED—Davenette suite, player-piano, library table, rugs, bedroom suite, beautiful furniture; slightly used; cheap. 3405 Pestalozzi st. (4)

BRASS BED—For sale; with spring; $20; three-compartment family refrigerator, $20; square extension kitchen table, $5; original cost price double. Call Sunday, 3903 S. Broadway.

BUFFET—For sale, golden oak, like new, $16. 1005 Texas.

BUFFET—For sale, early English, $15; set of 6 mission chairs, $10. 5531 Berlin, 3d floor. (1)

CHAIRS—For sale, 6 chairs and buffet. Lindell 4766W. 5241 West Pine bl.

CHIFFONIER—Quarter-sawed golden oak dustproof chiffonier, $14. 3537 Olive st.

CHILD'S IRON BED—For sale, and sulky, like new. Call at 5207 Pennsylvania.

CHILD'S IRON BED—For sale; walnut dresser; other articles. 943 Laurel; Cabany 891.

CHINA CABINET—Full of dishes, $10; bedroom, dining set. 3837 Delmar.

CHINA CLOSET—Fumed oak, high-grade china closet, $15. 3537 Olive st.

CHINA CLOSET—For sale, large mission china closet, finished, $30. 1417 Arsenal. (c)

CHINA CLOSET—For sale, beautiful; $45; mission, $20; Oriental rug, 9x12, $20; leather-seat fumed oak arm chair, $2.50; square dining table, $4; baby walker, $1.50; no dealers. 3829 Shenandoah.

CLOCK—Grandfather, $25; mantel clock, $4; ornaments, china, pictures. 3837 Delmar.

COAL RANGE—For sale, Bridge & Beach; cheap. 2912A Shenandoah av.

COAL RANGE—For sale; like new. 4366 Lee av.

COAL RANGE—For sale, 1 large; and small combination. 3136 Easton av.

COAL RANGES—For sale, Bridge & Beach; most Bucks gas range, good condition. 4321 California. (c)

COAL RANGE—Water back, $10; gas water heater, $12; water-motor washer, $10; all in splendid condition. 5017 Alaska av.

COAL RANGE—For sale; almost new; guaranteed; big lot to pick from; will sell cheap. Levy Bros., 311-13-15 S. 14th st.

COAL RANGE—For sale, Quick Meal, sanitary couch pad, single bed, combination bookcase, writing desk, coal laundry stove, sideboard, pair opera glasses, blue carpet, trunks; cheap. 3403A Magnolia. Victor 3435R.

COMBINATION STOVE—For sale; iron. 4856 (c)

COMBINATION COAL AND GAS RANGE—For sale, blue enameled, only one left. 915 N. Broadway. (c)

CRIB—For sale; brass; $25; mattress; also blackboard and desk. 5609 North Market.

COUCH—For sale, leather couch davenette, sacrifice. 5205 Raymond. (c)

DAVENETTE—For sale; 4209 St. Louis.

DAVENETTE—For sale; new, tapestry, $27.50; cost $65. 2815 Laclede.

DAVENPORT—For sale; immediately. 3837 Kennerly av.

DAVENETTE SET—For sale, mahogany, almost new; reasonable. 3859 Sullivan av.

DAVENETTE—For sale, mahogany, like new; $30; cost $40. 1617 S. Jefferson. (c)

DAVENETTES—Mahogany and fumed oak, almost new; will sell cheap. Levy Bros., 311-313 S. 14th st.

DAVENETTE SUITE—Library table, player-piano, dining set; slightly used; cheap. 3405 Pestalozzi st.

DAVENETTE SUITE—Almost new; player-piano, dining set, rugs, automobile; bargains. 5127 Cabanne.

DAVENPORT—For sale, tufted; tea wagon, silver tea service, table, lamp; also partial contents of 6 rooms. 4100 Page. Skinker.

DAVENETTE SUITE—For sale; good condition; three-piece mahogany; will sell cheap for cash. 1202 S. Broadway. (c37)

DAVENETTE SETS—For sale, fumed oak and mahogany; library tables, chiffero bes, wardrobes, chiffoniers, dressers, bookcases, rockers, brass and iron beds, springs and mattresses. 3021 Shenandoah. (c)

DAVENPORT, $12.50; $125 mahogany dresser, chiffonier, four-poster bed, $50; library table, $6.50; dresser, $5; chiffonier, $3.50; brass bed, $6; vernis Martin bed, $2.50; leather rocker, $2; dining set, $30; chifferobe, box couch, bookcase, pictures. 3837 Delmar. (1)

DINING ROOM TABLE—For sale, 8-foot; call Monday morning. 3834A Juniata.

DINING SET—For sale, large, oak, only $50; cost, $150. 3615 Laclede.

DINING ROOM TABLE—For sale, folding bed and couch; cheap. 915 N. Broadway.

DINING SUIT—For sale; elegant, fumed oak, new, $35. 3615 Laclede.

DINING ROOM FURNITURE—For sale, 1370 Clara av.

DINING SUITE—For sale, golden oak, like new, $38. 1005 Texas.

DINING ROOM SUITE—For sale, 2163A Geyer.

DINING TABLE—Quarter-sawed golden oak, 52-inch round table, $17.50. 3537 Olive st.

DINING SUITE—For sale, player-piano, library table, bedroom suite and rugs; used 4 months. 4921 Washington bl.

DINING ROOM TABLE—For sale, 84-inch, fumed oak, square, cost $30, for $12. 3737A Hydraulic.

DINING SET—Round table, $10; buffet, $10; leather chairs, $10; serving table, $4.50; tea wagon, $6. 3837 Delmar.

DINING SUITE—Almost new; William-Mary style; player-piano, automobile, etc.; bargains. 5127 Cabanne.

DINING TABLE—For sale, handsome, oak, 10 chairs and serving table; price reasonable. Call Cabany 3708.

DINING-ROOM TABLE—For sale; leather couch, morris chair, sanitary couch, desk, ball rug. Call Monday, 6023 Waterman, 2d floor east. (c)

DINING SET—Beautiful buffet, extension table, chairs, china cabinet; cheap. 3405 Pestalozzi st.

DINING-ROOM SET—For sale; William and Mary period; refrigerator; very reasonable. 4064A Arsenal st.

DINING ROOM SETS—For sale, golden oak; china closets, buffets, tables, chifferobes, chairs, rugs and linoleum. 2021 Shenandoah.

DINING ROOM SUITE—For sale one range, refrigerator, rugs, bookcase, dresser, brass bed, kitchen cabinet. 4064 Easton ave.

DINING ROOM SET—For sale; dresser, chiffonier and sectional bookcase, like new, cheap if taken at once; call. 3118A Lexington av.

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DINING-ROOM SETS—For sale; oak and mission; consist of buffet, china closet, round-top table, leather chairs; will sell cheap. Levy Bros., 311-13 S. 14th st. (c)

DINING-ROOM SET—For sale, early English, 10 pieces, 54-inch buffet; splendid condition; no dealers. 5535 Waterman av., Apartment B.

DRESSER—For sale, golden oak, nice mirror, like new, $10. 5009 Enright. (c)

DRESSER—For sale, beautiful oak; and chiffonier; table, chairs. 4215W Cook.

DRESSER—For sale, mahogany, and chiffonier, $15 each; oak, $12.50. 3615 Laclede.

DRESSER—For sale—Bird's-eye maple; fine condition, $12; good rug, $5; few small rugs, $1.50; other furniture cheap. 5572A Olive.

DRESSER—For sale; chiffonier, beds, desk, tabourette, rockers, wardrobes, shades, gas stove, upright coal heater and stove pipe, can, kitchen table, chairs, cheap. 4191 Washington bl.

FOLDING BED—For sale, with large mirror. 2809 N. 25th.

FOLDING BED—For sale, solid oak, like new, $10. 3558A Texas.

FOLDING BED—For sale, quarter-sawed oak; large mirror; cheap. 4692A Delmar bl.

FURNITURE—For sale, of 3 rooms; will sell separate; and go-cart. 1390 S. 7th.

FURNITURE—For sale, Turkish parlor and and antique furniture. Box B-340, P.-D.

FURNITURE—For sale, 7-piece chairs; call Monday and Tuesday. Call Cabany 5786.

FURNITURE—For sale, contents of 3-room flat; small cash payment, balance monthly. Box T-220, Post-Dispatch.

FURNITURE—For sale; extension table, 2 chairs, 20 electric light bulbs, 40-100 watts. 4820A St. Louis.

FURNITURE—For sale; bedroom set, dining-room set, sanitary couch, sewing machine, library table. 4855 Fountain; Forest 6151.(c)

FURNITURE—For sale, $2.75 down, $1 weekly buys $53 worth of slightly used furniture. 1202 S. Broadway. (c8)

FURNITURE—For sale; bargain, complete contents of beautifully furnished 5-room flat; new. Box K-121, Post-Dispatch.

FURNITURE—3 rooms, complete; must sell Sunday. 5025 Beacon av., Harney Heights.

FURNITURE—For sale; house sold; quick possession; will sacrifice furniture; large assortment of aluminumware. 4025 West Pine.

FURNITURE—For sale, beds, springs, mattresses; also Quick Meal gas range, dresser and refrigerator. Neuroth & Halbert. 1827 Franklin. (c7)

FURNITURE—For sale or exchange; will accept your old as part payment; everything for the home. 1202 S. Broadway. (c4)

FURNITURE—Beautiful bedroom suite; rugs, library table, davenette suite, player-piano, dining set, etc.; slightly used; cheap. 3405 Pestalozzi st.

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FURNITURE—For sale, contents of 11 rooms of fine furniture; William and Mary dining set, Hipplewhite library table, silk floor lamp, extra fine davenette, ivory, walnut and mahogany bedroom suite, brass beds, springs and 2 mattresses, 2 fancy chairs, rockers, bedding, dishes, etc.; must be sold Monday, 8 to 3 p. m. only. 3704 McPherson. (c)

FURNITURE—For sale, complete, for 3-room flat, practically brand-new, at less than a third of what it would cost today. Fine oak living room suite, mahogany bedroom suite, oak dining room suite and wicker sunroom suite; with all necessary rugs and draperies; no dealers or auctioneers considered; must sell quickly, leaving town; flat for rent. 2820A Tennessee.

FURNITURE—For sale, all furnishings of my 4-room flat; will sell separate. Call today. 2823 S. Compton av.; Grand 3592W.

FURNITURE STOCK—For sale, new and used, complete; carpets, draperies, etc.; invoice $1000. 313 Meramec st., Clayton, Mo.

FURNITURE—For sale; 7-room apartment; call Monday and Tuesday. Call Cabany 5786.

FURNITURE—For sale, contents of 3-room flat; small cash payment, balance monthly. Box T-220, Post-Dispatch.

FURNITURE—For sale; extension table, 2 chairs, 20 electric light bulbs, 40-100 watts. 4820A St. Louis.

FURNITURE—For sale; bedroom set, dining-room set, sanitary couch, sewing machine, library table. 4855 Fountain; Forest 6151.(c)

FURNITURE—For sale, $2.75 down, $1 weekly buys $53 worth of slightly used furniture. 1202 S. Broadway. (c8)

FURNITURE—For sale; bargain, complete contents of beautifully furnished 5-room flat; new. Box K-121, Post-Dispatch.

FURNITURE—3 rooms, complete; must sell Sunday. 5025 Beacon av., Harney Heights.

FURNITURE—For sale; house sold; quick possession; will sacrifice furniture; large assortment of aluminumware. 4025 West Pine.

FURNITURE—For sale, beds, springs, mattresses; also Quick Meal gas range, dresser and refrigerator. Neuroth & Halbert. 1827 Franklin. (c7)

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TABLE SUPPLIES

MOLASSES—For sale, fresh country molasses, in gallon buckets. For particulars, Box B-262, Post-Dispatch.

STAMPS AND COINS

COINS Wtd.—To buy old coins. Write E. M. P., 21 Vandeventer pl. (c39)

OLD MONEY of all kinds wanted; high cash premiums paid; send 4c for illustrated coin circular. If may mean big money to you. Numismatic Bank, Dept. A, Fort Worth, Tex.

SAFES

SAFES Wtd.—State price and dimensions. Box A-5, Post-Dispatch. (c83)

SAFE—20x22½; combination lock; sell $15. 2115 Eugenia st.

SAFES—New and secondhand. John Bauman Safe Co., 4th and St. Charles. (c6)

SAFE Wtd.—At once, rather large double-door secondhand safe, with strong box; quick cash buyer if suited. Maguire's, 813 Chestnut st.

SAFES—Diebold and Hall; fire and burglar proof; vault doors and wall safes; largest dealers in United States. Howe Safe Co., 409 N. 4th st. (c6)

SAFES—Cummings Safe and Fixture Co., 304 10th st., sole agents Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co.; new and secondhand safes; safes hauled and repaired. (c90)

STEEL VAULT—For sale; inside dimensions, 10 ft. high, 11 ft. deep, 7 ft. 6 in. wide; intact. Missouri Express, 722 N. 2d.

BICYCLES AND MOTOR CYCLES

WANTED

BICYCLE Wtd.—In good condition; pay well. 8529 Concord. (c)

BICYCLES Wtd.—Boy's, girls'; Sunday forenoon, or drop postal. 3366 Easton.

MOTORCYCLE Wtd.—Lightweight Indian or Cleveland. Box B-330, Post-Dispatch.

MOTOR CYCLES Wtd.—Harley or Indian; cash; today or evenings. Lindell 472W. (c)

MOTOR CYCLE Wtd.—Will exchange late 6 touring car. 3916 Marfitt.

MOTOR CYCLE Wtd.—To buy. Apply Frank Martin, 750 Wachtel av., St. Louis County.

SIDE CAR Wtd.—Indian; 1917; must be reasonable. Call Lindell 3179W. (c)

SIDECAR Wtd.—Motorcycle side car; Indian side car wanted for a 1916 rigid frame. 5367 Arsenal.

FOR SALE

BICYCLE—For sale; good condition; $10. Call 4227 Shenandoah.

BICYCLE—For sale; good condition. Apply 2004 Oregon av.

BICYCLE—For sale, Dayton; good condition. 4101 Castleman. (c)

BICYCLE—For sale, in good condition. 3333A 10th.

BICYCLES—For sale, good as new; cheap; good tires. JEFFERSON CYCLE CO., 1427 S. Jefferson.

BICYCLE—For sale; $40; good condition; with new light, buzzer and pump; big bargain; $15 cash. Apply 4421 Tennessee av.

BICYCLE—For sale, Ranger, coaster brake, mud guard, luggage carrier. 4124 Louisiana.

BICYCLES—For sale, new, $27.50; second-hand, $5 and up; tires $1 and up. 4000 Maryland. 1258 Arsenal. (c99)

BICYCLES—All speedy messengers are riding Big Six Racers. Crescent Red Wing, Monarch, Vernal; imported, New England, Supreme Vendetta and Motor Co. 108 N. 12th.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale; twin Excelsior; good order; quick sale, $60. 4025 Easton.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale; Harley Davidson; 7-passenger sedan body. 2942 Iowa.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale; cheap. 6047 Gareche; West Walnut Park.

MOTORCYCLE—For sale; Twin Indian; cheap; 4013 S. Broadway. (c1)

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale; in good running order. 1807 Belt av. (c)

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale; cheap; call Sunday 2518 Benton, Barr.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale, Harland, and side car. 3005A Cass.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale, Harley-Davidson, cheap. 4241 Marfitt.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale, Indian, 1916 model; first-class condition; $125. 2505 Wash.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale, single-cylinder Harley-Davidson. 1813 S. 9th.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale, single-cylinder; nearly new; excellent condition; $75. 1100 N. Leonard.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale, Excelsior, tandem; good condition; cheap for cash. 3944A De Tonty.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale, Indian, twin and Excelsior twin; sell cheap. Bledell, Jefferson, Maplewood.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale; Harley-Davidson; good condition; call before 1:30. 3360 Cottage.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale; Indian; twin cylinder; just overhauled and painted. 2723 S. Jefferson; Sunday morning.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale; Indian twin; three-speed; electric equipped; cheap for cash sale. 1465 Madison.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale, 1913 Indian, fully equipped, good condition, new clutch; for quick sale, $65. 3123 Hickory.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale; Harley Davidson; 1917; electrically equipped. 7711 Minnesota.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale; Harley Davidson; 1917; in good condition; little used. 4820 Delmar.

MOTOR CYCLE—1915 Thor; A1 condition; will demonstrate Sunday. 3701 Itasca. (c)

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale, Harley-Davidson, 1915 model, with side car; best condition; to use for it; bargain. S. e. cor. 11th and Hallinckrodt.

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale or trade for a Ford chassis; my twin Indian; in good running order. L. J. Samuel, Troy, Ill. Box 344.

MOTOR CYCLES—For sale; all makes, from $60 up; some used side cars. State Motor Cycle Co., 1018 Illinois av., East St. Louis, Ill.

NEW INDIAN—Powerplus, single cylinder, 3-speed and parcel car, run less than 100 miles; car used today; must sell $340 on account of sickness. 4681 Gibson av., Bell phone Grand 2580J.

MAKE your bike a motor cycle at a small cost by using our attachment outfit; fits any bicycle; no special tools required; cost very reasonable; send for our free book and price list of new and second-hand motorcycles. Shaw Mfg. Co., Dept. 100, Galesburg, Kan. (c99)

BOATS AND LAUNCHES

BOATS Wtd.—Flat boats or skiffs. Riverside 2923. 4637 Virginia. (c)

MOTORS—1918 Evinrude boat motors now in stock; 1½ to 12 h.p. Olive st. (c)

BOAT Wtd.—Skiff, John boat or flat boat; 12 to 16 feet; vicinity of Valley Park; good condition; cheap. Box T-266, P.-D.

CANOE Wtd.—Grand 2463R between 6:30 and 8 p. m. Sunday morning.

ENGINE—For sale, 6-h.-p. marine. 3655 Iowa av.

GASOLINE LAUNCH—For sale, 17-ft.; $40 if taken today. 2705 Chippewa.

ENGINE Wtd.—4 to 6 cycle, gasoline; must be cheap and good condition. H. Prishe, 1328 Benton, st.

ENGINE—For sale, 2-cylinder, 2-cycle, 10-h. p. marine engine; good condition; ready to run; cheap. 1606 S. 18th.

HULL—For sale; 14-ft. V bottom; 1 year old; $40. 2715 Winnebago.

MOTOR BOAT—For sale, 27 ft.; steel hull, 3-h. p. engine; see 10-ft. skiff; call Sunday. J. E. Sparks, foot of Palm st.

HULL Wtd.—Flat bottom; 30 or 40 feet. Foster, 1328 Benton.

MARINE ENGINE—For sale; 2-cylinder, 64-horsepower; same as new. 130 N. Theresa.

MARINE ENGINE—For sale, Ford, model T, with patent base, patent carburetor, Bosch magneto, also Ford model T auto engine, $35. 3790 Louise av., 3400 south.

MOTOR—For sale, Dunn motor, for boat. 3625 Benton. 926 Benton.

MOTOR Wtd.—Detachable, for rowboat; will pay cash. Riverside 1822. 4637 Virginia.

MOTORBOAT—For sale; hull 19 ft. 6 in. long; 7½-h. p. Detroit engine. Call 2110 Case av.

REVERSE GEARS—For sale, Gray, 20-h. p., $20; 18-h. p. Duke propeller, $5; Remy magneto, $10. 1708 Broadway.

REVERSE GEAR Wtd.—30-h. p., for motorboat; give dimensions of shafts and price. P. C. Kerner, 3301 Locust.

HORSES AND VEHICLES

WANTED

DUMP WAGON Wtd.—Drop bottom; must be in good condition. St. Louis Malleable Casting Co., 1600 N. Broadway. (c)

HARNESS Wtd.—All kinds, secondhand, single and double work harness. Write or phone Lindell 3114W. 4224 Evans av. (c)

HARNESS Wtd.—Double set of farm harness; must be good and cheap. Richie, 5612 Belledale.

HORSES Wtd.—$2 paid for useless and dead horses and cows. In country, Riverside 1822. 4637 Virginia. Wtd.—To exchange, 20 acres good timbered land, good title, for good team horses. Box B-304, Post-Dispatch.

HORSE Wtd.—Good horse and grocery wagon; city; exchange valuable new 4-room house, Grand 3002.

HORSES Wtd.—Old, useless; $2 to $5; better for stock farm. $10 to $60; also mules. Stout, 4145 Page.

HORSES—For sale, second-hand delivery horse; reasonable. 2905 Pennsylvania.

HORSES—For sale; two delivery; replaced by truck. 2400 S. Seventh st.

HORSE—For sale, harness and top wagon. Call Monday, 1117 N. Broadway. (c)

HORSES—For sale, 4 work horses, team, good for farm work; cheap. 3223 Rutger.

HORSE—For sale, trucks taking place. Golden Eagle Dairy, 2450 S. 2d st.

HORSE—For sale, one good work horse. Apply Leader Laundry stable, 2326 Texas. (c)

HORSE—For sale; good, sound. 5721 Pennsylvania. (c)

HORSES—For sale, 2; harness, 2 sand wagons; cheap. 415 Victor st.

HORSES—For sale, 3 and wagons. 4254 Linton. Central 4067. Colfax 520. (c)

HORSES AND MULES—For sale, 116 Bremen.

HORSE—For sale, bir black; good condition. 1232 Spruce.

HORSE—For hire for board; good for farmer. 4035 Easton av.; Delmar 3980.

HORSE—For sale, cheap. Apply Sunday or Monday morning, 1003 Carroll.

HORSES—For sale, two, black, suitable for farm work; also furniture wagon and harness. 1827 Franklin. (c)

HORSES—For sale; double and single harness, stake and top delivery wagons. 2316 Market. (c62)

HORSE—For sale, big bay; 8 years; 8-year-old sorrel, chunky mule. 3422 S. Broadway.

HORSES—For sale, 4 work, 5020 Chamberlain av., Sunday phone Cabany 2650 Monday. (c)

HORSES—For sale, 3 nice, fat bay horses, well matched; good for farm; cheap. 2027 S. 18th st.

HORSES—For sale; city hauling stables; 10 reliable work horses, mules, all sizes. 3115 Chouteau. (2)

HORSE—For sale, nice fat black little horse, 825 works double or single and quick. Call 3104 Franklin av.

HORSES—For sale; two; suitable for farmer or ice and coal. Majestic Mfg. stables, 2223 Carr st.

HORSES—For sale; 3 big horses, one team good workers, one blind mare, sound; $15; getting tricks. 927 S. Sarah.

HORSE AND WAGON—For sale; in good condition. 10 Pocket's Paint Store, 2241 Olive. (c)

HORSES—For sale, and mules, will sell cheap, accept reshoeing with auto trucks. J. Friscolle, 5076 Genevieve. (c7)

HORSES—For sale, 5 sound horses, $30 and upward. Frank Raffel, General Blauling, 2210 N. 10th st.

HORSES AND VEHICLES

FOR SALE

HORSE—For sale, nice, black, 8 years old, sound, city broke; bein xused as grocery delivery. Mastin's grocery and market, Delmar 2400R, Cabany 207. (c)

HORSE—For sale, 1300 pounds, gentle, perfect, 7 years old; single coal wagon, gliding wagon, storm buggy; good condition, $225; must sell. 3061 Pine.

HORSE—For sale, bay, sound, 7 years old, 15½ hands high; weighs 1300 lbs.; gentle, lady can drive; no use for him; $150 buys. Call Sunday afternoon. 2925 S. 12th.

HORSES—For sale, 2 good delivery or farm horses, 1 wagon and 1 set of harness; a real bargain if sold at once; reason for selling, we are using Ford trucks. Model Laundry, 2907 Pine. (c7)

HORSES—For sale, two; harness and wagon; delivery, or will exchange for light, quick Continental Dyeing and Cleaning Co., 4366 St. Ferdinand. (c1)

HORSE—For sale, saddle or driving, gelding, 7 years old, 14 hands high; beautiful sorrel; city broke; absolutely sound; pedigreed; is also new; fine canter; for quick sale at a bargain. Call or write Dr. J. H. Sayman, 2117 Franklin av. (c)

HORSE COLLARS—Leather; small sizes; half price.

Phonographs—Edison cabinet slot phonographs, $5 each.

Skylight glass—¾-in. thick, 10c square ft. Wm. G. Willard, 316 Chestnut st. (c)

MARE—For sale, good, sound, cheap. 149 Trudeau. (c2)

MARE—For sale; horse and wagon; cheap. Call Lindell 3708. 815 N. Theresa. (c)

MARES—For sale, good team chunky mares; must sell. 3016 Iowa.

MARE—For sale, wagon and harness; sell separate. 2825 Pestalozzi.

MARES—For sale, 3 farm mares, horse, 3 delta harness and top wagon, 2612 Nebraska.

MARES—For sale, team mares, 2800 lbs. 1432 Clinton.

MARE—For sale; 8 years old; and mule; cheap. 2801 N. Spring. (c)

MARE—For sale, storm buggy and harness; no use for same. 3470 Grace.

MARE—For sale; harness and top wagon; $65. 7714 Michigan av.

MARE—For sale; 6-year-old chunk; 5-year-old mare. 2900 McNair.

MARES—For sale; 10 large; several in foal, horses. 3321 Easton. (56)

MARE—For sale, small mare and horse, young; double harness; separate. 2831 McNair.

MARES—For sale, pair of stout farm or work mares; taken for debt. 3910 Garfield av.

MARE—For sale, chunky, black, good worker, gentle; express wagon; harness. 1311 N. Grand.

MARE—For sale; and horse; double harness; farm wagon, buggy and single wagon; make offer. 912 Penrose st., Sunday.

MARE—For sale; pfug, for farm or work; also harness. Call Sunday. 4578 St. Ferdinand av.

MARES—For sale; horses, mule, one 14-hand mare, black, fat, sound, $55; 8 head ponies, Shetland, Welsh, 41 to 51 inches; vehicles, harness, wagons to match. 119 S. 14th.

MARES—For sale, good pair of farm mares, one in foal; also six secondhand draft horses. 1600 Poplar; open all day Sunday. Cass Av. Stables, 1527 N. Broadway.

MOVING VAN—For sale, also park wagon; cheap. 4153 Easton.

MOVING VAN—For sale, and team. 5060 Easton.

MULE—For sale, very cheap. Apply Sunday. 4535 Union av.

MULE—For sale; black; cheap. 1828 Wash; rear.

MULES—For sale, team; fine condition; weigh 1800; also wagons, harness, etc. Fidelity Lumber and Supply Co., 7370 Manchester. (c7)

PARK WAGONS—Steel or rubber, wide or narrow track, pole or shaft. $25 up; single or double harness. 119 S. 14th st.

PEDDLER WAGON—For sale; harness and license. 2450 S. Second st.

PEDDLER WAGON—For sale, closed, with stove; cheap. 4225 Iowa.

PEDDLER'S WAGON—For sale, closed in; good condition; reasonable. 6734 Arsenal.

PONY—For sale, good traveler, will sell cheap; call Riverside 451. Laclede 66. (c61)

PONY—For sale, light wagon and harness; cheap; cash register. 2525 Sullivan.

PONY—For sale, Buster, graded Shetland pony, 49 inches tall; undefeated champion pacer in the world; black spotted, well made; used for exhibition purposes; owner has gone or able to care for him; all gaits in saddle; breeding spotted without fail. Henry Johnson, Mount Vernon, Ill.

RUNABOUTS—15, steel or rubber, for horses or ponies; harness, $15 up. 119 S. 14th.

SPRING WAGONS—For sale; single and double; your own price. Chouteau and Theresa.

STORM BUGGIES—For sale; 15; rubber or cloth; handmade; $25 up. 119 S. 4th st.

SULKEY—For sale; and harness; in good condition; cheap. 6220 Wells av.

SURREYS—For sale; rubber or steel; wide or narrow track; $25 up. 119 S. 14th st.

SURREYS—For sale; steel or rubber, light, medium or heavy; $25 up; also storm buggy and harness, for $60. 5327 Union av.

TEAM OF MARES—For sale; large, sound; suitable for all purposes. 4067A Easton.

TEAM—For sale, steady monthly hauling. 2530 W. St. Louis.

WAGON—For sale, spring top wagon, cheap. 3927 N. 21st st.

WAGON—For sale, 1 or 2 horse platform spring wagon, will ship. 8150 Texas.

WAGONS—For sale, 2 good spring wagons. 5233 Louisiana.

WAGON—For sale, wagon, 1-horse, 3 spring carry 1000 lbs.; park wagon, rubber tired. 4723 Newcomb place. Saybolt.

WAGONS—For sale; 100 top curtain or panel sides; vestibuled front; doors in back; new or secondhand; $7 up. 1140 S. 4th st. (c3)

WAGONS—For sale, one 1-horse and one 2-horse. St. Louis Sash and Door Co., 5440 N. Broadway. (c)

WAGON—For sale, top stake wagon, good condition; wrench, jack, hook, skid, lantern. 3113 Wyoming st.

WAGON—For sale, spring wagon, suitable any business; $20; worth $40. 1024 Arsenal st.

WAGONS—For sale, one spring truck coal wagon, holds 100 bushels; 1 50-bushel spring truck, one 50-bushel stiff wagon. 3708 Market st.

A MILK WAGON FOR SALE.

In first-class condition; good as new; cost $140; sell for $85. Monday, John Tobinka, 1340-1406 N. 7th st. Ask for Mrs. Blasek's wagon.

MACHINERY

WANTED

BLACKSMITHS' TOOLS—For sale, anvils, forge, vises, etc. 819 Franklin.

BOILER Wtd.—Steam boiler with gas burner; from 2 to 5 horsepower. Delmar 193, c/o 2445 N. Grand. (c)

BOILERS AND MACHINERY Wtd.—State cash price and condition. Box K-400, Post-Dispatch.

BLACKSMITH MACHINE Wtd.—Hand operated; give size and price. 718 Victoria Bldg.

ELECTRICAL MACHINERY Wtd.—Motors, generators, turbines, engines, any size, for spot cash. Box J-26, Post-Dispatch. (c99)

ENGINE Wtd.—Two cylinder marine; 8 to 12 h. p., or will trade 5 h. p. for same. W. Harris 3969 Thomas.

LATHES Wtd.—Also drills and other tools. Box L-167, Post-Dispatch.

LATHE Wtd.—14" or 18"; drill press and emery wheel. Box W-389, Post-Dispatch.

MACHINERY Wtd.—All kinds, or complete plants for cash. Box L-213, Post-Dis.

MOTOR Wtd.—2 h. p.; 50 to 110 volts d. c. Box B-160, Post-Dispatch.

PAPER CUTTER Wtd.—25 inches or wider; rip saw bench or cutoff saw for making crates. Box 1115 S. 2d st.

PIPE Wtd.—1000 feet 1¼-inch secondhand wrought iron pipe; must be in first-class condition; cheap for cash. Address Lock Box 98, Wellsville, Mo.

PRESS Wtd.—14x22 Chandler & Price; state price. Box L-212, Post-Dispatch. (c)

PRESSES Wtd.—Two medium-size inclinable punch presses. 900 Chouteau. (c)

STATIONARY GASOLINE ENGINE Wtd.—2 h. p. Box B-348, Post-Dispatch.

TANK Wtd.—5000 to 12,000-gallon steel tank, in good condition. Midland Creosoting Co., Granite City, Ill.; Illinois 300. (c60)

TINNERS' TOOLS—For sale, brake, shears, folders, etc. 819 Franklin.

TINNER'S MACHINERY Wtd.—And tools, complete outfit; must be in good condition. Box R-140, Post-Dispatch.

I PAY cash for good radiators and pipe. J. Stern, 1626 Chestnut st. Central 3873, Olive 1293. (c)

USED CHEMICAL MACHINES Wtd.—To buy; for fire protection; on wheels; and pack. F. Rippley, Grafton, Ill. (c)

FOR SALE

AIR TANKS—For sale, several sizes; also storage tanks to 10,000 gallons. 4567 Cook.

AMMONIA FITTINGS—We have purchased at auction from Fred W. Wolf Co., Chicago, Ill., several carloads of new ammonia fittings, which we will offer at reduced prices; they are all standard fittings; three 3½-ton Linde ice machines, one 7½-ton ice machine; these machines are new; come and select what you want or send us your orders, which will be filled promptly. J. A. Stern, 17th and Chestnut. Both phones.

BOILER—For sale; one 72x20 R. T. B.; 4-inch flues; quadruple riveted; steel setting. Walter L. Flower Co., 312 S. 8th. (c)

BOILER—For sale, one 35-h.-p. Brownell vertical boiler, 1 large polar spill, one 500-gallon copper storage tank. 1420 Monroe.

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BOWSER GASOLINE SYSTEM—For sale, 2 barrels; will instal; all O.K. guaranteed; cheap for cash. Pam, 221 S. Euclid.

CUFF PRESS—For sale, one double saddle & cuff press; has been used, but is as new; low price. Box T-126, Post-Dispatch. (c2)

DIES, tools, special machinery, light manufacturing; drawing and stamping machine work of all kinds; reasonable prices; prompt service. Omar Tool and Machine Co., 1828 N. 17th st.

DYNAMOS—Alternating and direct current dynamos and motors for sale or rent. Pan Electric Mfg. Co., 735 S. 4th st. (c99)

ELECTRO-PLATING dynamos direct-shaft connected; sewing machines, Chandeysson motors, from stock. Pan Electric Mfg. Co., 735 S. 4th st. (c99)

ENGINE—For sale; 3 h. p. Detroit marine; coil, carburetor, shaft, etc., all A1; used two months; will demonstrate; bargain at $45. Call St. Clair 1028R. Address 1762 N. 9th st., East St. Louis.

EXHAUST FANS—For sale; new and secondhand; cheap. 1429 Chestnut st. (c99)

FOR SALE—Locomotives, gondolas and tank cars; Keyrus steam shovel. John A. MacDowell, Engineer. 2010 Railway Exchange.

GENERATORS—For sale; 60 to 500 k. w.; 250 volts. See Chreslinger, 735 S. 4th.

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DODGE—For sale; touring car, with winter top; 1917; run 6000 miles; make us a bid. Newell Motor Car Co., 2621 Locust st. Bomont 2600, Central 2775. (c)

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FORD—Touring car; 1917; $325. 509 N. Main.

FORD—For sale; touring car; 1917; first-class condition; $375. 509 N. Main st.

FORD—Touring car; 1916; good condition; $250. 509 N. Main st.

FORD—For sale, 1917 touring car, perfect condition; bargain. 4121 Washington bl.

FORD—For sale, touring car; fine running order, $225. 5606 Kennerly.

FORD—For sale, coupelet, 1917; run very little. $390. 3645 Pitney.

FORD—For sale; touring body; new 1918 model. Central 926, Bomont 1126. (c8)

FORD—For sale, touring car; good condition; must sell; bargain. 3631 Easton.

FORD—For sale, touring, 1917, $350; cash or time. 4127 Olive. (c)

FORD—For sale, touring car; bargain. 1213 Chestnut st. (c)

FORD—For sale, touring car; new 1918 model; immediate delivery. 2320 Olive, (c)

FORD—For sale; touring car; 1917 model; good as new. 3024 Easton av. (c)

FORD—For sale; touring car; new 1918 model; immediate delivery. 3024 Easton.(c)

FORD—For sale; 1917 touring; good condition; will demonstrate. 8438A Illinois av.

FORD—For sale; touring car; in good condition; electric lights. Box B-229, P.-D.

FORD—For sale, touring car, 1917 model, same as new; a bargain. 3069 Olive. (c62)

FORD—For sale, 1915 touring car, like new. $375. 3914 S. Grand.

FORD—For sale, touring car; good running order, $175. 2736 Cherokee. Victor 2720R.

FORD—For sale; touring; brand-new; immediate delivery. 2823 Locust.

FORD—For sale; touring; running condition; sacrifice; $125. 917 Walton av.

FORD—For sale; touring car; 1917 model; like new. 2930 Olive. (c)

TOURING CARS

FORD—For sale; touring car; good condition; late model; $250. 2320 Olive. (c)

FORDS—For sale, 36 1918 Ford touring automobiles; real beauties. Motorist, 1832 Locust.

BUICK—For sale; 5-passenger; electric starter, lights; demountable rims; shock absorber; good tires; $300. 3952 Olive. (c)

FORD—For sale, touring car; first-class condition; all modern improvements; cheap; owner drafted. B. Lippman, 1819 O'Fallon.

FORD—For sale; touring car; wheelbase lengthened to 118 inches; easy riding and in good order. 3126 Park av. (c)

FORD—For sale, touring car, 1916; also Lytle 4 roadster; excellent condition, 227 N. Florissant rd., Ferguson, Mo. (c)

FORD—For sale, 1917 model, excellent condition, apply 2201 Missouri av., E. St. Louis, Ill. (7)

FORD—For sale, 1917 touring car, in good running order; will sell cheap for quick sale. 2915 Locust.

FORD—For sale, touring car, 1918, with Firestone demountable rims, new tires; a rare bargain. 4528 Easton.

FORDS—New 1918 touring and roadsters, easy monthly payments. Call afternoon, Wessel Sales Co., 1139 Syndicate Trust. (c8)

FORDS—For sale, two touring cars, first-class condition; must sell. Kinloch 3851, Granite City, Ill.

FORD—For sale, touring, 1918; used three months; perfect condition. 932 Maryville. Sunday morning.

TOURING CAR—$175 will buy my touring car; fine condition; electric lights. 5008 Claxton av.

FORD—For sale; touring car; good condition; starter, demountable rims, speedometer; reasonable. 5003 Delmar. (c)

FORD—For sale; touring car, 1917 model; almost new; used as a demonstrator; weatherproof top. 5063 Delmar.

FORD—For sale, touring car; extra coupe body; good running condition. Lindell 6148.

FORD—For sale, 1914 touring car, good condition, $265. 4871 Heidelberg, St. Louis County, 7900 west, on Gravois rd. (c)

FORD—For sale, touring car, good condition; bargain; $250. 7428 Maple bl., Maplewood, Mo.

FORD—For sale, touring car in first-class condition; $290 if sold at once. 6001 Alabama. (c)

DODGE—For sale, 1917 model; excellent running order; like new. Apply between 9 and 12 a. m. 5232 Waterman.

STUDEBAKER—For sale; 7-passenger, 1917 model; must sell; bargain; drafted. Call Sunday between 12 and 5. 2618 Franklin av.; Bomont-Central 2978.

FORD—For sale, 5-passenger touring car, 1914 model, good running order, $250. 3125-27 S. 12th st. Central 6161R or Victor 2364J.

FORD—For sale, touring car, 1918 model; speedometer, Yale lock, regulation lenses, license and insurance; cash only. Address 6405 W. Park av.

FORDS—New tourings, roadsters, used coupelet, on easy monthly payments. Loans made on used cars; call any afternoon. Sunday, Wessel Sales, 1139 Syndicate Trust.

FORDS—For sale, brand-new Ford touring cars; for immediate delivery; at list price. Ford Clearing House, 1424A N. King's highway. (c)

FORD—For sale, roadster, 1917, with demountable rims, electric lights, seat covers, shock absorbers, motor in excellent condition; must be sold at once; can be seen at 4528 Easton. (c)

FORD—For sale, 1917 touring car; a beauty, demountable rims; shock absorbers, new summer windshield; speedometer, spring bumpers, tire holder, electric lights all around like new; must sell. 1434 N. 15th.

FORD—For sale, latest 1917 touring automobiles, with winter and summer tops, shock absorbers, demountable wheels, seat cover, Yale lock; sell at bargain; this is a real beautiful car. 3832 Locust.

FORD—For sale; 1918; used 4 weeks, with Hercules extra large closed body; 30x3½ demountable Firestone rims and tires with extra 2 rims and one cover; built for sale or time; will demonstrate; save that $90 advance on a new Ford. Victor 398, Sidney 4650.

FORD—For sale, for $550; must sell immediately. 1917 Ford touring car, with all these accessories. Inquire Sunday morning before 12 o'clock, 5575 Waterman av., 3d floor west. Electric starter, demountable rim, shock absorber, cork running board, double-rim carrier, two extra rims, two extra tires, gas filler, oil gauge, set of side curtains, leather hood cover, Detroit vimter top, clock, seat covers, real horn, instrument board, speedometer, tool box, spotlight, loading glass, instrument light, dome light, double ventilating windshield, Yale lock, rubber window washer, coat carrier, extra set storage batteries, bumper.

FRANKLIN—For sale, 5-passenger touring car, 6-cylinder, like new. 3737 Cote Brilliante.

FRANKLIN—For sale; on account of the war, will sacrifice my 7-passenger touring car for $175. 3649 Cottage av.

HAYNES 7—For sale, 5-passenger, good condition; call Sunday, 3854B Olive. (c7)

HUDSON "33"—For sale; very good; $200; or best cash offer. 4272 Flad; Grand 777R.

HUDSON—Five-passenger; must sell at once; $215. 1824 Kennett pl. (62)

HUDSON—For sale, 6-cylinder; self-starter, 7-passenger, painted 3 months ago; big bargain. Telephone Lindell 6323.

HUDSON—For sale, touring car, 5-pass., special Dodge chassis, with 136-inch wheelbase. Williams Carriage, Hearse and Auto Co., 1900 Washington av.

HUPMOBILE—For sale, roadster, good tires, paint like new, no repairs required, motor first-class; all in excellent condition. 4721 McMillan.

KING—For sale; 1914; starter, electric lights; good condition; 5-passenger car. Cabany 912.

KING 8, 1916—For sale, 5-passenger, perfect running order; will sell at a bargain; must be seen to be appreciated. 318 Whittier. Lindell 540.

ALLEN—For sale; 1916; 5-passenger touring; mohair seat covers, extra tires; excellent condition; $500. Boyle's Garage, 901 N. 11th st.

LEXINGTON—For sale, 1916 touring car, 6 cylinder, perfect condition, $650; will take horses as part payment. Box B-284, Post-Dispatch.

MAXWELL—For sale touring; 1917; like new; bargain. 3128 Locust. Bomont 1262, Central 5327.

MAXWELL—For sale, touring car, 1914, perfect condition; electric lights; no reasonable offer refused. 2854 Keokuk.

MITCHELL—For sale; touring car; 1917; also 1915 models, at bargain. Ebbeler, 2942 Olive st.

MOON 40—For sale; in good condition; good tires, 2 spare; electric lights, price $175. 1088 S. King's highway. (7)

OLDSMOBILE—1916, light touring, newly painted and overhauled; cheap; your own price and terms. 3128 Locust st.; Central 5327. Bomont 1262.

OLDSMOBILE—For sale; 6-cylinder, 1917 model, touring car; traveled 1000 miles; open to a reasonable offer. Apply Monday, Crown Millinery Co., n. e. corner 16th and Morgan.

OVERLAND—For sale, touring car, with starter; condition good; $195. 3631 Easton.

OVERLAND—For sale, 1917 touring, as good as new, $450. Tyler 735W. 2228 Hebert.

OVERLAND—For sale; 5-passenger; sell very cheap. 1412 Franklin av. (c)

OVERLAND—For sale, touring car; cheap; will trade for Ford runabout or rooming house. 5456 Neosho.

STUDEBAKER—For sale; 6-cylinder, 7-passenger; excellent condition; $600. Boyle's Garage, 931 N. 11th st. (c)

HUPMOBILE—For sale; bargain; 1915, 5-passenger touring; good condition; $460. Forest 7099M.

OVERLAND—For sale; touring car, model 86-4; excellent condition; must sell. call Cabany 5021.

REO—For sale; 5-passenger, 6-cylinder; perfect; electric lights and starter; want $215 cash. 3631 Easton. (c)

OVERLAND—For sale, 5-passenger 1916; electric lights and starter; good condition; at your own price; owner leaving city; call at garage, 4380 Olive. (c)

OVERLAND—For sale, newly painted touring car; $385; this car is as good as new in all respects. Etherton, 2001 Locust. (c7)

PAIGE—For sale; touring car; bargain for quick sale. 5022 Cabanne av.

PAIGE—For sale, 5 passenger, e. l. a. perfect condition; just overhauled; new tires, Osgood lens. Lindell 3791. Central 8238L.

PAIGE—1916 7-passenger touring, newly painted and overhauled; cheap, at your own price and terms. 3128 Locust st.; Bomont 1262, Central 5327. (c)

REGAL—For sale, touring car; in excellent condition; can be had at your own figure. Etherton, 2001 Locust. (c7)

REO—For sale, 1916, 6-cylinder, excellent condition, 5 good tires, good top and curtains, $900. 4112 Washington. (c)

SAXON—For sale; 6-cylinder touring; excellent condition; bargain for quick sale. L. M. Dunn, 4156 Olive st.; Lindell 749.

STANLEY STEAMER—5-passenger; owner in army; must sell; practically new; used very little; absolutely new roller, cushions, etc. See Mr. Blair, at Martin's repair shop, 5841 Delmar bl.

STAVER TOURING CAR—For sale; will sell cheap; good condition. 5033 Delmar. (c)

STUDEBAKER—For sale, light 5-passenger, good condition; $160. 3624 N. Taylor. (c)

STUDEBAKER—For sale; touring; 1916; electric starter; sacrifice; $150. 917 Walton av.

STUDEBAKER—For sale, 1917; first-class shape, $700. See Springmeier, 1442A Olive av. for demonstration. (c)

STUDEBAKER—For sale, 7-passenger, 1915 model, first-class condition; can be seen at 3668 Lafayette. Phone Grand 970. (c)

TOURING CARS

STUDEBAKER—For sale, 1913; A1 condition; $350; call Sunday before noon. T. J. Kayser, 4356 De Soto.

STUDEBAKER—For sale; touring car; 7-passenger, 1917 model, almost new; bargain. 1900 Washington av. (c7)

STUDEBAKER—For sale; 5-passenger; 1914; excellent condition; reasonable; must sell; positively leaving city. Phone Cabany 4643W. 1287 Goodfellow. (c)

STUDEBAKER—For sale, 1917, 6-cyl., 7-pass.; will accept small car in trade; call and see it. Magnolia Sales Co., 3945 Magnolia, rear; Victor 3594L.

STUDEBAKER—For sale, 1914, 6-cyl.; repainted; good tires, etc.; will sell at exceptionally small price or accept small car in trade. 3945 Magnolia; Victor 3594L. (c)

AUTOMOBILE—For sale; 5-passenger car; A1. Call 1110 N. 12th. (7)

AUTOMOBILE—For sale, late 1917 model, standard make; run a short distance; A1 condition; bargain. Box B-109, P.-D. (62)

TOURING CAR—For sale, small; in good running order; makes good light truck; your own price today. 2914 North Market.

TOURING CAR—For sale; light, 4-cylinder, 1918 model; run 500 miles; perfect condition. Forest 5041R. (c)

TOURING CAR—For sale; McFarland, 1916, in good condition; car run 6000 miles; owner will sacrifice. 2716 Lafayette. (c)

TOURING CAR—For sale, 1917; good condition; fully equipped worth $500; sacrifice for $250. L. Hogan, 3805 West Pine.

TOURING CAR—For sale; good running order; new tires; will sell cheap. 2623 Texas. Victor 1464L.

TRUCK—For sale, 3-ton used in trade, on a true kof standard make. Box T-104, P.-D.

TRUCKS—For sale, two ton trucks; also little automobile; bargain. 1234 S. Newstead.

TRUCK—For sale, one-ton Ford; first-class condition; must be sold at once. Ringling, 811 N. 8th st.; Central 1471, Olive 73, Grand 1837W. Sunday. (c)

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AUTOMOBILE—For sale, cheap; call Sunday. 2018½ Wash.

AUTOMOBILE—For sale, 5-passenger car, or trade for truck or roadster. 4044 Easton.

BUICK—For sale; 6-cylinder, mode D-44, $725. 3902 Olive. (c)

CADILLAC—For sale; can be used for pleasure or truck; in excellent condition. 4115 Penrose.

CHALMERS 30—Perfect condition, $380. 5201 Kensington av. Forest 2843M.

CHEVROLET—For sale; 1916; $275; completely overhauled; Klink's car. Brandie Motor Co.

DETROITER—For sale; electric lights and starter; first-class condition. Ebbeler, 2942 Olive st.

E. M. F. STUDEBAKER—For sale, first-class condition, $300. 3630 N. Broadway, side door. C. H. Michael. (c)

FORD—For sale, late 1917 model; practically new; money back if not satisfied. 6035 Wise av.

GRANT—For sale; 6-cylinder; like new; must sell; snap. Ebbeler, 2942 Olive st.

STUDEBAKER—For sale; 6-cylinder, good as new; reasonable; 1917 model. 3518 Hunt.

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FRANKLIN—For sale, Series 9, brougham, same as new, fully guaranteed; bargain. Franklin Auto and Supply Co., 3015 Locust.

MAXWELL—For sale; 2-cylinder, slightly damaged. Call at store, Burd and Ridge avs. (c2)

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PAIGE—For sale, 1915; in good running order; new tires; bargain at $375. Phone Forest 3418. (c)

SCRIPPS-BOOTH—For sale; new; good condition; must sell at once; cheap. 5033 Delmar. (c)

SERVICE CARS—For sale; 5 and 7 passenger $275 to $500. Sperreng-Oakland Co., 3439 Lindell. (c8)

TOW CARS—For sale; service wagon or light delivery; small 4-cylinder Loco; very economical; also 90-h.-p. Thomas and tools; equipment for garage or repair shop. Forest 3895R.

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1915 Studebaker 4 roadster; 6-pass. 700
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Haynes 7-pass., demonstrator, 1917 1225
Haynes 5-pass., 1917 1000
Haynes 5-pass., 1917 1000
Haynes, 7-pass., 1916 850
Studebaker 7-pass., 6-cyl., 1914 500
Maxwell 5-pass., 4-cyl., 1917 500
Hupmobile, 5-pass., 4-cyl., 1915 400
Meteor roadster 375
Chalmers 1915, 7-pass., winter top 650
Dort chassis, new 500
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TRUCKS

ALCO—For sale, truck, 2-ton, stake body; bargain and good. Delmar 2177X.

CADILLAC—For sale, truck, with delivery closed body; on account of fire; big bargain; $225. Telephone Lindell 6323.

DELIVERY TRUCK—For sale; cheap, 4160 Lee; call Sunday, 10 to 2.

DODGE—For sale; 1917 roadster; lot of extras; must be sold. 4034 North Market.

DORRIS TRUCK—For sale, cheap; first-class running order. Boehl's, Grand and Cass avs. Sidney 989, Victor 1122. (c)

DORRIS TRUCK—For sale; cheap; first-class condition. Boehl's, Grand and Gravois. Sidney 989, Victor 1122.

FORM-A-TRUCK—For sale Inquire of Springmeier, Monday, Republic Motor Truck Co., 1900 Chestnut.

FORD TRUCK—For sale, 1400 N. 7th st.

FORD TRUCK—For sale, 1917 model; call Monday, 3532 Easton av.

FORD TRUCK—For sale, 1915 model, 3963 West Belle. (7)

FORD TRUCK—1915; panel top body; $175. 509 N. Main st.

FORD—For sale; one-ton truck, chain drive; 1917. H. Kuhlman, 3139 Cass av.

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FORD—For sale, truck, closed body; just overhauled; $275. 3697 Olive st. (c62)

FORD TRUCK—For sale; 1917 model; suitable for grocer or butcher. 2320 Olive. (c)

FORD TRUCK—For sale; panel body, $250; easy time payments. 4127 Olive. (c)

FORD TRUCK—For sale; good condition. Angert, 3d National Bank Bldg. (c)

FORD TRUCK—For sale; open body, motor overhauled. Degendorf, 1045 S. Grand. (c2)

FORD TRUCK—For sale; like new; $325. Come quick. 2320 Olive st. (c)

FORD TRUCK—For sale; late model; like new; bargain. 3024 Easton av. (c)

FORD TRUCK—For sale; 1918 ton truck; something rare; cheap for cash. 3024 Easton av. (c)

FORD DELIVERY—For sale, 1917, like new; suitable for butcher or grocery. 139 Lemay Ferry rd.

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FORD TRUCK—For sale; open body; closed cab; demountable rims; newly painted; new block. 1064 Hodiamont.

FORD TRUCK—For sale; 1917 model; 2000 to 3000 pounds' capacity; this truck is nearly new and exceptional value. 2320 Olive.(c)

FORD TRUCKS—For sale; suitable for any business; new 1918 chassis; any style body; immediate delivery; reasonable terms. 3024 Easton. (c)

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TIRES—For sale, 1 Goodrich 35x4½, nonskid, new; 2356 S. 12th; Victor 2364J. (c7)

TIRES—For sale, Goodrich, two 37x5, two 36x4½; bargain. 4942 Sheridan.

TIRES—For sale; [illegible]: 30x3½, nonskid, $16; 30x3, $10. 3969 Easton. (c)

TIRES—For sale, several sets, Ford sizes; bargain. 2329 Olive st.

TIRES—For sale, two 24x4, two 34x3½; new, nonskid. 2336 S. 12th; Victor 2364J. (c)

TIRES BOUGHT—Will buy your old tire if in serviceable condition; pay top prices. Universal Tire Co., 3216 Locust st. (cs)

TIRES—For sale, 2 36x4½; new tires; will sacrifice for quick sale. Apply 5006 Gravois av.

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TIRES—For sale, half price, brand new, 34 x5½ s. s.; 32x4 q. d. and 36x4 s. s. Locust st., 6th floor. (c)

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TIRE—For sale, new 33x4, straight side; guaranteed 4000 miles; price $17.50 for quick sale. Apply 2716 Lafayette.

TIRES—For sale, 2 new 32x3½, straight side tires; guaranteed 4000 miles; price $14.50 for quick sale. Apply 2716 Lafayette.

TIRE—For sale, 1 new 35x4 tire; guaranteed 4000 miles; price $19.50 for quick sale. Apply 2716 Lafayette av.

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32x3½	11 00	11 50
32x4	14 00	14 00
31x4	14 00	15 00
34x3½	10 00	11 00
33x4	14 00	15 00
34x4	15 00	16 00

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34x3½	11 50	13 95
31x4	13 95	17 25
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COLD WEATHER HURT LEAVENWORTH CONTEST

More Than 500 Leghorn Pullets Laid at Half Normal Rate During Zero Weather.

Cold weather that disrupted the laying of virtually all flocks in the country seriously impaired production of birds under observation during December and January at the Leavenworth (Kan.) egg laying contest conducted by the American School of Poultry Husbandry, according to T. E. Quisenberry, president.

The Leghorn pens led for January. About 500 pullets were laying about 50 per cent production with the temperature below zero. The best record was by pullet No. 1104 from Pennsylvania, with 28 eggs in 31 days. The five highest pens were No. 110, Pennsylvania, 105 eggs; No. 91, Arizona, 94 eggs; No. 132, Kansas, 91 eggs; No. 101, Ohio, 98 eggs; No. 79, Colorado, 81 eggs.

The five highest pens in the Leghorn contest for the three months were: No. 110, Pennsylvania, 256 eggs; No. 70, Washington, 226 eggs; No. 121, Pennsylvania, 212 eggs; No. 91, Arizona, 204 eggs; No. 67, Washington, 196 eggs.

In the breeders' contest the pens were not up to the record of the Leghorns for January, but excelled the Leghorns' record for three months. The five highest pens in the breeders' contest to date are Pen 43, Illinois, White Wyandottes, 263 eggs; No. 48, Light Sussex, Ohio, 219 eggs; No. 27, White Orpington, Ohio, 217 eggs; No. 35, R. I. Whites, Illinois, 192 eggs; No. 46, Red Sussex, Illinois, 185 eggs.

The five best pen records for January were made by No. 44, White Wyandottes, Kansas, 83 eggs; No. 25, White Orpingtons, Ohio, 83 eggs; No. 43, White Wyandottes, 78 eggs; No. 47, Red Sussex, Ohio, 77 eggs; No. 37, Silver Wyandottes, Iowa, 75 eggs.

In the yearling hen contest some of these pens just began to lay the last of the month. The five highest pens to date are: No. 35, Black Langshans, Kansas, 159 eggs; No. 43, R. I. Whites, Texas, 115 eggs; No. 45, R. I. Whites, New Jersey, 94 eggs; No. 19, Silver Wyandottes, South Dakota, 90 eggs; No. 37, White Wyandottes, Arkansas, 85 eggs.

The average sales value of eggs per bird to date is $1.07.

Public More Critical in Purchasing Eggs

An English authority, speaking of the conditions as they exist in his country, said the general public, it must be admitted, is becoming very much more fastidious than it was as regards the food it consumes, and it does not like overkept eggs or small eggs. As yet, the English farmer has not got into the custom of weighing his eggs in the way his continental competitors do. Eggs that weigh at the rate of seven or eight to the pound command a more ready sale than those that take 10 or 11 to tip the scale. The brown shell does not command the preference to the same extent that it did a couple of years ago, and polished eggs are not in request. They suggest too much either having been preserved or cold-stored, and, therefore, it behooves the poultry farmer to keep his hens' nests critically clean, as having to wash his eggs tends to give them a polish, and a fresh polish is all the same to the consuming public, whether it is on a six-months' "water-glasser" or on the day before "new-laids." It will not differentiate between them.

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Poultry raisers who like to combine the qualities of the fancy birds with those of the solid and steady egg layers concede a high place to the White Plymouth Rock. This hen won first award at the St. Louis Coliseum Poultry Show. She was bred and exhibited by the Whistlecote Farms, Waterloo, Ill.

Healthiest Chick Comes From the Freshest Egg

"The fresher the eggs the better the hatch." That is logic—that is old-time advice. It cannot be improved upon. But poultrymen are not always so situated that they can have strictly fresh eggs when they are ready to incubate.

Equally true is the old-time advice: "The older the eggs the weaker the germ." A hatch made up of old eggs will show that the germs perished at different stages of incubation, running from a few days to the close of the hatch, and those chicks that do hatch do so very weakly and slowly, extending the period several days over the alloted time of 21 days.

In other words, the fresh egg will at least hatch on time, and in many cases a day or two before time. The chicks will be strong, as a rule. Practically, this condition will hold good for a week, but after that time the percentage of deaths in the shell, dead germs, and weak, puny chicks will increase as the eggs increase in age before being set.

Cheap Poultry Stock Is the Most Expensive

As a rule, the average buyer of breeding poultry obtains just what he pays for. It takes extra care and expense to raise cockerels for breeding, and those of any merit cannot be sold at a profit for market prices.

There is too much scrub poultry in the country now, and the average amateur poultry raiser seems to believe that the cheap mongrel stock is as good as the more expensive until he has had experience with it on his own place. After a year's experience he will see that not only has the time been lost, but money, too, for it costs just as much per fowl to keep scrub stock as that of a much higher grade.

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Poultry Problems Solved

Will you kindly inform me what amount of scratch feed and whole corn to feed to 22 Leghorn chickens for eggs? I feed them table scraps at noon.—Reader.

This is a difficult question to answer in a definite way. Feed requirements differ quite largely among birds even of the same breed and variety. Besides you are feeling table scraps and the allowance of grain would depend very considerably on the amount of scraps fed. A little experimenting and observation should soon tell you how much to feed.

They should never have so much feed that they will not be eager to work for it. The weight of the birds also is a good indicator as to whether too much or too little is being fed. If you are feeding the usual scratch mixture, I should start by feeding about a quart of this in litter in the morning. Table scraps boiled up with bran at noon, and possibly a quart of corn at night. Then watch your birds and regulate the allowance according. I assume that you are giving a dry mash in a hopper along with your other feeds. This mash makes a good balancer as to quantity of feed consumed as well as otherwise, and by noting how much the birds are eating you can tell whether you are giving too little or too much of the grain feed.

Indications of Roup.

Two of my chickens are sick. They breathe heavily and open their mouths wide. It seems as though they had sore throat as there seemed to be a rattling there. Have separated them from the rest of the flock and have given them coal oil and lard with a little pepper in it, but don't know whether this is good for them.—Reader.

This undoubtedly is a roupy condition brought on by a cold, perhaps, or exposure to a draft. Would suggest a small swab of cotton tied to the end of a stick, and wash out their mouths with hydrogen peroxide. Also wash the nostrils with a carbolic acid solution, about 2 per cent, especially if there is a discharge or if sores have formed. The treatment you gave should have helped, although would prefer mixing equal parts of cayenne pepper, ginger and mustard with lard in the form of small pellets and giving these to the sick birds. You did the right thing by isolating the sick birds.

High Prices.

I have a flock of 30 hens. How can I procure feed for them at a reasonable figure? The feed stores charge me $2.50 for wheat, $2.20 for corn, 85 cents for oats. All these are of the lowest grade, in fact, the oats I bought could not be induced to sprout. Prices are the same whether I buy in 5-pound or 100-pound lots. I tried to buy from jobbers but they refer me to retailers. Is there no Government regulation on feeds? Bran, alfalfa middlings, etc., also are out of sight. I cannot break even at these prices, to say nothing of my time and labor. Is there any way or place that I may buy feed at a reasonable figure? Or must I dispose of my flock?—Poultryman.

There are thousands of poultry raisers in this same situation. Poultry feed is higher than ever before, but so also are eggs and other poultry products. They are enough higher than usual to easily cover the increased cost of feeding, but when hens don't lay there is little consolation in that fact. I take it that this poultryman has not been getting his share of winter eggs. At 60 to 75 cents a dozen it will not take many eggs to buy a week's supply for 30 hens even at prices quoted above.

A great deal may be done to cheapen feed costs through substitutions. Wheat is not a necessary part of the laying ration. In an 18-month test the U. S. Department of Agriculture found that a scratch mixture of 2 parts cracked corn and 1 part oats (by weight) compared very favorably as an egg producer with the laying rations that contained wheat. A dry mash of 3 parts corn meal and 1 part beef scrap (by weight) was fed with the above scratch mixture. A pen of Buff Orpington pullets put on this feed in the fall averaged 53 eggs apiece during the 26 weeks following which took them through the most unfavorable laying period of the year. Thirty Leghorns kept on this feed for 18 months averaged 147.3 eggs apiece for their pullet year. In all cases the scratch mixture was fed sparingly enough so the hens ate approximately equal parts of the mixture and mash. It was found that it took a total of 4.6 pounds of this feed to produce a dozen eggs. This was the average for one year. When wheat is omitted it is necessary to feed more heavily of some meat food, but these feeds are relatively cheap nowadays, considering their high protein content.

Poultrymen who have motor cars or other conveyance, reduce feed costs by getting their feed direct from farms. As to Government regulation of mill feeds, the Food Administration has established a system of price control so far as the mills are concerned. Mills selling bran in carload lots, for example, may not charge more than 38 per cent of the price for the same weight of wheat. The price of shorts or standard middlings is not to exceed $2 a ton more than the price of bran. Mixed feeds are not to exceed $4 a ton more than the price of bran. Flour middlings are not to exceed $8 a ton more than the price of bran, and "red dog" flour cannot exceed $15 a ton more than bran.

No prices have been established for dealers but excessive charges should be reported to the State Food Administrator, and these complaints will be acted upon. Based on the foregoing scale of prices you can readily determine whether the dealer is making too large a profit.

Must Cull Flocks to Keep Standards High

To keep up the poultry flock to a high standard of efficiency it is necessary to cull out the drones and imperfect ones every year. Even those of the highest grade are sometimes poor layers and others are dwarfted and unfit to breed from. Therefore each year poultry raisers who know their business are on the lookout for breeding stock to replace the culls.

One cannot breed over and over with the same stock with even moderately good results, and hence the infusion of new blood into the flock is absolutely necessary.

If this is not done the entire flock soon loses its vitality and becomes scrubbish and small producers, requiring just as much care and feed as those of the highest grade.

Wood Pigeons Destroy Crops.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—At a meeting of the Ongar Farmers' Union, reference was made to the destruction of crops by wood pigeons. It was stated that these birds could be seen flying over the fields in thousands, and that unless they were killed off considerable damage would be done. It was resolved to organise weekly pigeon shoots.

EDWARD F. LASAR'S THIRD WIFE FILES SUIT FOR DIVORCE

Alleges Manufacturer Was Rude and Says He Stopped Her Credit at Stores.

Mrs. Lucia A. Lasar, third wife of Edward F. Lasar of 5092 Raymond avenue, wealthy president of the Lasar Manufacturing Co., 1313 North Sixteenth street, yesterday filed suit for a divorce, alleging that he was rude in his treatment of her, that he stopped her credit at stores, although she practiced economy, and that six months ago he transferred the management of their home to his daughter by a former marriage. He also objected to her entertaining her friends.

They were married at Springfield, Ill., Sept 19, 1907. Mrs. Lasar, in her petition, says he abandoned her in September, 1912, but that they continued to live together until Feb. 13, last, when she left, being no longer able to endure conditions there. She says that she raised his three children by previous marriage and did all a dutiful mother could do for them.

Mrs. Lasar complains that her husband had no right to deprive her of the management of the household, as she was an efficient housekeeper. Her attorney declined to divulge her whereabouts, saying she was nervous and that her doctor had ordered her to take a rest.

Lasar, in discussing the suit, said he did not stop his wife's credit and that she was at liberty to make purchases. He also denied that they had been living virtually estranged in the same house for six years, and said that he always thought they were getting along about as well as most married couples. He said he was surprised when he went home several weeks ago and found she had departed.

"I think she had it pretty soft there and made a big mistake in going away," he said.

Lasar also denied that he was worth more than $100,000, as his wife alleges. He said that he did not object to her receiving friends at home and that they had plenty of company. Lasar's first wife died and he says he divorced his second wife about 12 years ago.

COURT ORDER RESTORES GIRL TO MOTHER AFTER SEVEN YEARS

East St. Louis Couple Who Took Child From St. Lou's Orphanage Wanted to Keep Her.

An order entered upon the St. Clair County Court docket by Judge Messick, in Belleville yesterday afternoon, declaring Martha Steppel, 9 years old, a dependent, will result in reuniting the girl and her mother, Mrs. Robert Livingston of New York City.

The girl, 7 years old, was placed by her mother, then Mrs. Alice Blank of St. Louis, in St. Ann's Orphanage. Later Mrs. Blank married Robert Livingston, a Government employe at New York, and at her request a search was started by Mr. and Mrs. Nocholas Hagedorn of St. Louis, brother-in-law and sister, respectfully, of Mrs. Livingston, which extended over seven years.

The girl had ben placed in a home by the Sisters of St. Ann's Orphanage and could not be found until a month ago, when she was located in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Streppel in East St. Louis. The St. Clair County Humane Society was appealed to when the couple refused to give up the child and court action followed.

Following the entry of the court docket the child was turned over to Humane Officer James Ewing with instructions to find a home for her. He turned her over to a relative, who left last night for New York to be reunited with her mother, another sister and a brother.

Alton Man Dies of Grip.

Fred Henckell, 71 years old, died Friday night at St. Joseph's Hospital in Alton, of grip, after an illness of three weeks. Three weeks ago Henckell's mother died.

GERMANY LANDS WAR STORES AND MEN IN FINLAND

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 23.—The impending German intervention in Finland, predicted a few days ago, is an accomplished fact. Today's official dispatches of the Finnish Government describe the arrival of four German transports at Vasa, laden with everything that Gen. Mannerheim's militia needs most, in addition to several hundred well-trained members of the Finnish rifle brigade of Germany. Every man among these riflemen is given the rank of a non-commissioned officer. When they stepped ashore they were accompanied by 400 German officers uphemistically described as "volunteers," with field guns, machine guns, hand grenades, 100,000 rifles and great quantities of munitions, food and fodder.

Ten minutes before the expedition anchored in the lee of a group of little islands below Vasa's water front, Mannerheim had less than 100 trained officers, the scantiest food rations and only 10 firearms to every 100 men, half of these old shotguns. There was less than 50 rounds of cartridges to each rifle and practically no artillery. Gen. Mannerheim had scores of thousands of men eager to defend their homes and country—in fact, the rough results of the levee en masse.

There are no two conclusions to be drawn regarding the outcome. Dispatches state that these four transports are only the first contingent of the expeditionary force. Finland will speedily be "freed."

How Sweden Is Affected.

Now let us see how Sweden is affected. Germany has played the biggest card she could have played for Scandinavian popularity. It gives her the reputation here of being an altruistic liberator, and overshadows and draws public attention away from her annexationist schemes in the occupied regions of Poland and Russia. It furnishes her with a powerful claim on the gratitude of the Swedish Conservatives, which class owns Sweden's iron ore and ships. It gives the German Government a powerful reply to its own people when, as now, the military authorities, pan-Germans and supporters of the Mittel Europa idea are being accused of lust for imperialistic annexation.

"What we have altruistically done in Finland we are doing elsewhere," they can reply.

In the last two weeks Sweden has become feverishly eager to see Finland crush the terrorizers. Day after day meetings are held, petitions are prepared and deputations to see the Government officials are named. Newspapers of all political creeds except the Socialists are almost hysterically demanding armed intervention by Sweden. Even a large section of Hjalmar Branting's party (the Social Democratic) regarded his opposition to intervention as untimed.

Knew Germany's Intentions.

"There is reason to believe, however, that Branting, like other members of the Cabinet, knew the intentions of Germany and merely threw his weight, as the former most powerful member of the Cabinet, against the growing pressure of the nation's demand for intervention, in order to save the present Cabinet from being swept away before Germany's expeditionary force landed.

In an exciting session of the Riksdag the Premier, Marcus Eden, replied to an interpellation by Wennerstrom, member of the Chamber, by flatly refusing armed aid to Finland. Now the Cabinet's troubles are ended. Though it is not expected that the clamor for intervention will die down for a few days yet, Sweden's attention has become concentrated on the much simpler problem of the Aland Islands, with the certainty of a safe and successful termination of Swedish efforts.

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EAST ST. LOUIS TO FIGHT EFFORT TO END ARBITRARY

Chamber of Commerce of Illinois City Repudiates Attitude of R. W. Sikking.

LAWYER IS EMPLOYED

"East St. Louis Will Not Permit Itself to Be Camouflaged," He Says.

Hope recently expressed by Joseph W. Folk, counsel for the Chamber of Commerce, that the East St. Louis Chamber of Commerce would join in the movement to abolish the bridge arbitrary of 20 cents a ton on coal coming to St. Louis from the Illinois field, was dissipated yesterday when the East Side organization announced that it would vigorously oppose the efforts to do away with the arbitrary.

The action is a repudiation of the attitude taken by R. W. Sikking, secretary of the East St. Louis Association of Commerce, now the East St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, who as the representative of that organization testified that he considered St. Louis and East St. Louis in one commercial zone, and that rates from all points, both in Illinois and Missouri, to both cities should be the same.

Sikking's testimony was in a proceeding before the Interstate Commerce Commission, brought by East St. Louis cattle dealers, to obtain the same rate on cattle from Missouri points to East St. Louis as from the Missouri points to St. Louis. Under the rates that existed at the time the proceeding was instituted St. Louis cattle dealers had an advantage over East St. Louis dealers, but the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce joined in the effort to have the rates made the same. The commission held they should be the same, and Folk takes the position that the rule applied in that case will apply on coal coming from Illinois to St. Louis.

Sikking's testimony in detail was published in the Post-Dispatch last Wednesday.

Attorney Is Employed.

The East St. Louis Chamber of Commerce yesterday employed R. W. Ropiequet, a Belleville attorney, to oppose the St. Louis efforts before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

In a statement issued yesterday the East Side organization defends its attitude by contending that the present rates are fair, and charges that St. Louis is guided by selfishness. The statement includes the following by Ropiequet:

"East St. Louis will not permit itself to be camouflaged. According to statements in the St. Louis press, the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce will appeal to East St. Louis for the latter's co-operation in removing the so-called bridge arbitrary on coal.

"Without, at the present, attempting to discuss either the legality or the propriety of this so-called arbitrary, it might be well to remember that the Interstate Commerce Commission approved it because it was simply a fair transaction charge for additional transportation for long distances over expensive terminals.

St. Louis Accused of "Sophistry."

"Lest some of the East Side people might be confused by the barrage fire and the sophistry with which our West Side friends are attempting to camouflage the situation, permit us to briefly call attention to a few facts which must be considered in connection with the situation:

"1. Prior to 1906, the trunk line scale, governing rates from Eastern territory to East St. Louis, was upon a 11½ per cent basis, to which a varying charge was added for the transportation to St. Louis. Under the pressure brought by the Municipal Bridge and Terminal Commission of St. Louis the rates were equalized by the advancing of the East St. Louis rates.

"2. The Business Men's League case, to which reference has been made by the St. Louis pamphleteers, was simply the effort of St. Louis to equalize the rates between East St. Louis and St. Louis from Illinois territory by advancing the East St. Louis rates. But in this case the Interstate Commerce Commission recognized the propriety of an additional charge on the nearby traffic, that is, that which was within the 100-mile limit.

"3. In the related passenger-fare case, the Interstate Commerce Commission recognized the propriety of a bridge charge, but directed the equalization of rates on transportation, not including the bridge, and this was to be accomplished by advancing the Illinois-East St. Louis rates. The advance of these latter rates, however, were not upheld by the Supreme Court of the United States.

Refers to Stockyards Case.

"4. The stockyards case, to which reference has been frequently made, and which can easily be differentiated from the coal situation, brought about an equalization, but the result was the advancing of the East St. Louis rates.

"5. The present attempt is simply one on the part of the St. Louis interests to make East St. Louis bear the burden of the additional transportation required for the St. Louis coal, this to be brought about, as was suggested by the representative of St. Louis in a recent interview, by the advancing of the East St. Louis coal rate, which, in some cases, now exceeds the maximum distance coal rate in the State of Illinois.

"We present these facts for the consideration of the East Side people in order that they may understand the situation, realize what the issue is and act understandingly.

"If the East Side interests desire to burden the industrial and coal-consuming population of East St. Louis with an additional transportation charge which is not justified by the transportation to East St. Louis, in order that St. Louis may not be compelled to pay its proper transportation charge for the services rendered on its coal transportation, then let the East Side people support and co-operate with the St. Louis interests in removing the so-called bridge arbitrary on coal; but let them understand that the result will be the advancing of the East St. Louis coal rate."

JUDGES POSE FOR GROUP PHOTOS

Did It "For Same Reason Anybody Else Has Pictures Taken."

The 14 Judges of the Circuit Court yesterday posed twice for group photographs, once in Judge Koerner's court room, and again on the east front steps of the courthouse. The picture was a concession to a dissenting minority composed of Judges Rosenfeld, Shields and Grimm. The other 11 Judges voted in favor of the interior photograph.

The daylight photograph was posed where slaves were once auctioned, and sheriff's sales now are conducted. The suggestion came from Judges Grimm and Garesche. Judge Koerner said, replying to a question, that the pictures were made "for the same reason that anybody else has pictures taken."

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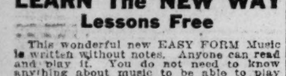
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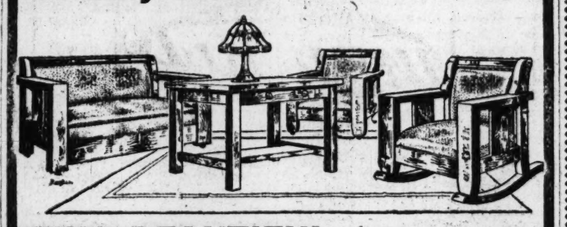
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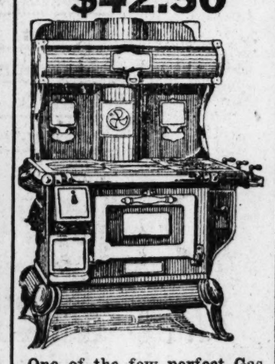
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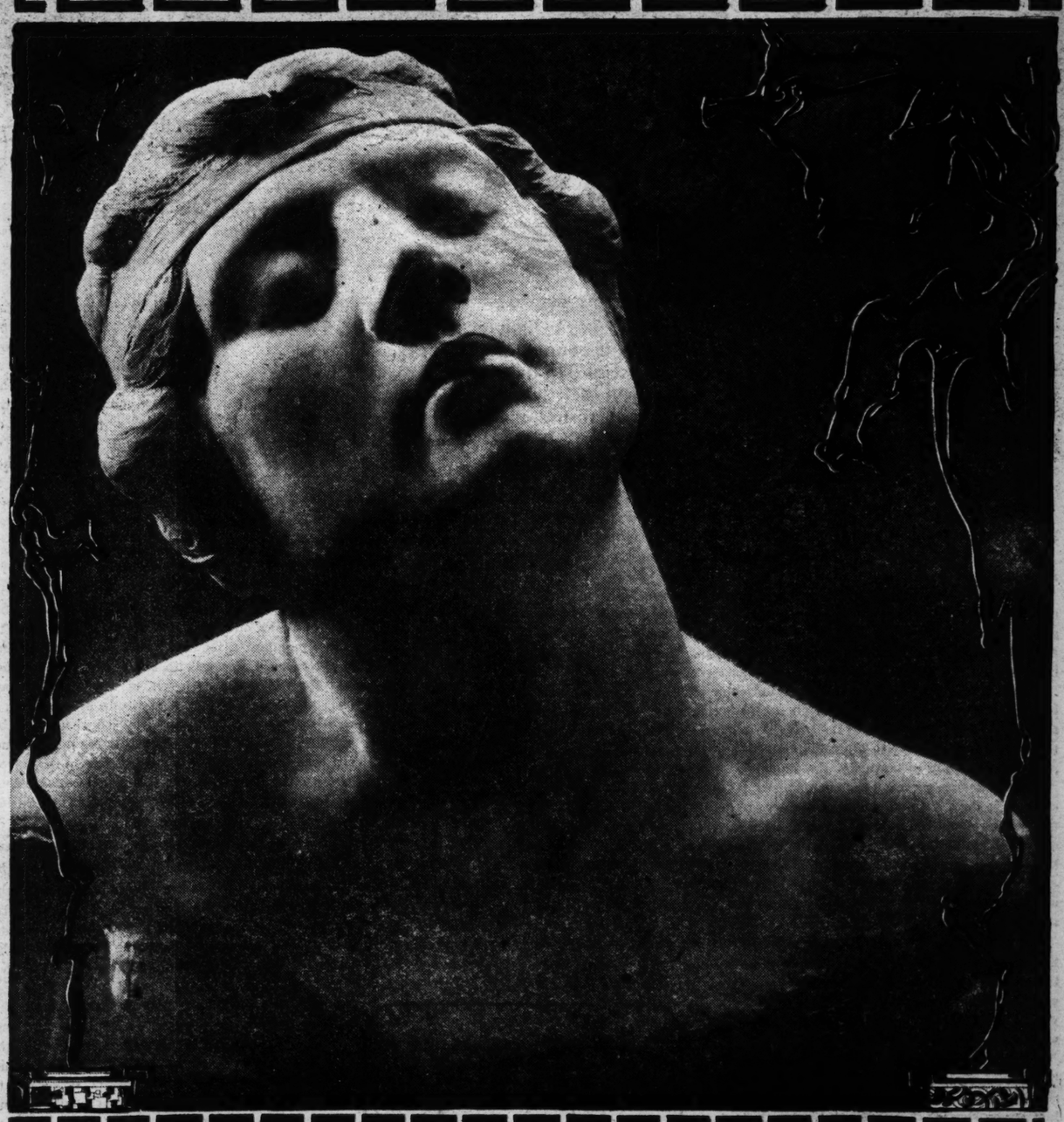
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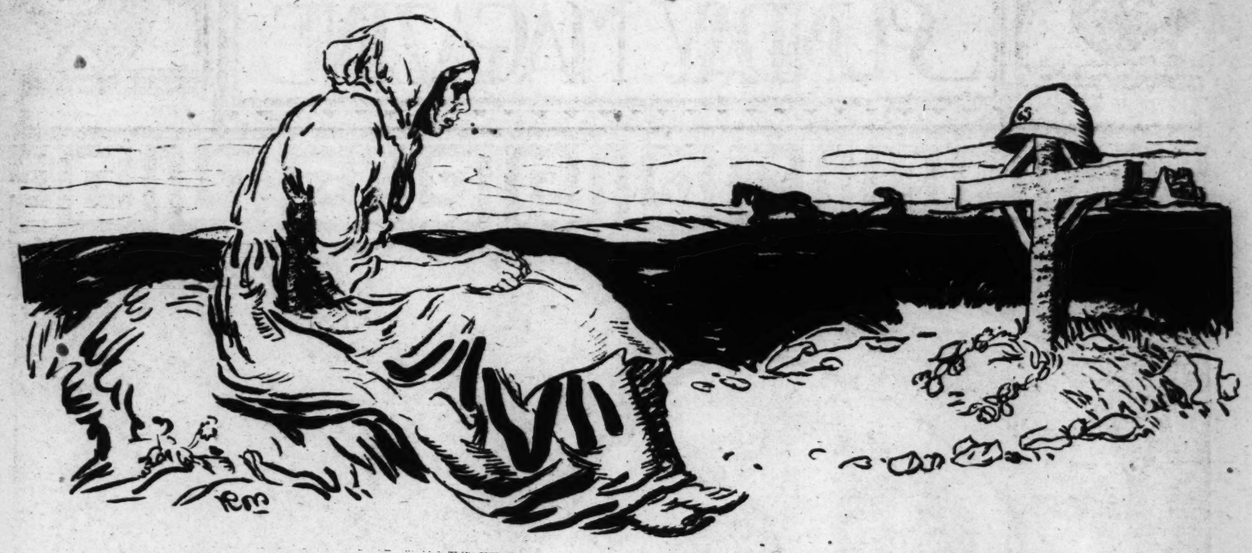


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"THE MOTHERS OF THE WAR"

∴ An Appreciation by Maurice Maeterlinck ∴



Following is the preface written by the great Belgian poet, Maeterlinck, for a book of pastels by Levy-Dhurmer on "The Mothers of the War."

Belgium's great poet pays eloquent tribute to women whose sons have been devoured in the furnace of battle—"They do not weep like the mothers of other wars"—"They gulp down their tears as if obeying a password which they have transmitted to one another without the knowledge of men"—"What sustains this courage which so astonishes our eyes?" :: :: ::

THEY bear the great sorrows of this war. In our streets and squares and churches, in our cities and villages, and in all our houses we come in contact with mothers who have lost their sons or are living in an anxiety which is more cruel than death.

Let us try to understand the loss that is theirs. They know what it is, but they do not tell it to us men.

In their declining years, the boys are taken from them in the prime of life. When little children die, it seems as if the infant souls scarcely go away, but linger about her who brought them into the world, waiting for the hour when they shall return in a new form. The death that visits the cradle is not the same death that spreads terror over the world.

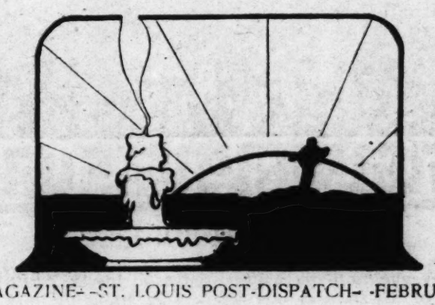
But a son who dies at twenty does not come back, he leaves no hope behind. He takes away with him all the future in store for his mother, all that she had given him, all the promise that was in him; the pains and griefs and smiles of birth and childhood, the joys of youth, the recompense and reaping of maturity, the support and peace of old age.

He takes away far more than himself; it is not his life alone that ends; it is days without number that are suddenly cut off, a line of posterity that is snuffed out; a crowd of faces, laughter and games and tiny caressing hands that fall at one blow on the field of battle, say adieu to the sun and return to the earth before they have known it. All this the eyes of our mothers see even if they do not reckon it, and it is this that makes none of us able at certain moments to bear the weight and sadness of their gaze.

Yet, they do not weep like the mothers of other wars. One by one their sons vanish, yet their moanings and complaints are not heard as in times gone by, when great tribulations, great massacres and great catastrophes were wrapped in the clamor and lamentations of women.

They gather not in the market places, they blame not, they accuse no one, they do not rebel. They gulp down their tears, as if obeying a password that they have transmitted to one another without the knowledge of men.

One cannot know what it is that sustains them and gives them strength to bear what is left to them of life. Some of them have other children; and one understands how they transfer to those the love and future that have been broken by death. Many have never lost their faith in the eternal promises, or are trying to find it again; and again one can understand why they despair not, for neither did the mothers of the martyrs despair. But many others, whose home is forever desolate and for whom heaven is peopled with pale phantoms, cling to the same hope as those who hope always. What is it, then, that sustains the courage which so astonishes our eyes?



The best of us, the most to be pitied, the wisest among us, on meeting one of these mothers who furtively turns away to wipe her eyes that her trouble may not offend those who are happy, when he seeks to find words which shall not sound like odious or mocking falsehoods in the blinding truth of the most poignant grief that can afflict a heart, finds almost nothing he can say to her. We talk to her of the righteousness and beauty of the cause for which the hero fell, of the immensity and necessity of the sacrifice, of the memory and gratitude of mankind, of the nothingness of this life which is not measured by length of days but by sublimity of duty and of glory. Perhaps we add that the dead die not, that there are no dead, that those who are no more, live closer to our souls than when they were in the flesh, and that all we held most dear in them remains still in our hearts, so long as memory can call it up and love can keep it alive.

But even while we speak we feel the emptiness of what we are saying. We understand that all this is true only for those whom death has not hurled down into the abyss where words are only hollow sounds; that the warmest recollection does not take the place of a cherished reality which one can touch with hands or lips; that the most exalted thought is worth nothing to the familiar comings and goings, the presence at table, the morning and evening kiss, the parting embrace and the joy of welcome home.

And they know it and feel it better than we; this is why they do not reply to our consolation; they listen in silence and find within themselves other reasons for living and hoping than those that we, by vainly searching the whole horizon of certainties and human thoughts, endeavor to bring them from the outside. They take up the burden of their days without telling us whence they draw their strength, without imparting to us the secret of their sacrifice, their resignation and their heroism.

Former Newsboy Is President, at 48, of Fourth Largest Railroad in United States

William M. Kenney, new Executive Director of Great Northern's 8000 miles of lines, has made way to top entirely by his own efforts—He has been "a horse for work" from boyhood and only his family can divert him from his labors —Self-reliant democrat and diplomat :: :: ::

MANY persons have wondered when William P. Kenney, new president of the Great Northern Railroad, sleeps. Here is part, if not all, of the secret, disclosed by a friend. Sometimes, over the heaps of papers which he takes home with him nightly from his office, Kenney's head droops, his eyelids close, and he "catches 40 winks." Then with a start he is up and at it again. In the morning he will be at his desk at 8 o'clock with so much finished work that his associates incline often to suspect him of not having retired at all.

Kenney once was a newsboy. He has made his own way entirely and has become head of one of the country's largest transportation systems at the early age of 48. Industriousness probably more than any other characteristic has been responsible for his rise. Work is his occupation, avocation, fad and recreation, and has been from his boyhood. About the only thing which can divert him from it is his family. He married almost at the beginning of his career, and is devoted to his wife and six children—three sons and three daughters.

All over the Hill lines Kenney is known as "a horse for work." But aside from his capacity in that direction he is a democrat of democrats and has a natural tact, an unusual memory and a native ability to absorb details which, in connection with his indefatigable application, have stood him in good stead.

As an instance of his self-reliant methods of work it is related that when Benjamin Campbell was a vice president of the Great Northern and Kenney was his assistant, several officials of the road, including Campbell, were indicted on charges of rebating. Kenney, as a witness, testified that the matters complained of were handled entirely by himself on behalf of the company, and that his chief knew absolutely nothing about them. An attorney for the prosecution fumingly questioned the possibility that practices such as were alleged, and of the importance which attached to them, could go on in a department without the knowledge of its head.

Kenney replied in effect that the test of his value to Mr. Campbell was the extent to which he could stand between him and the detail work of his department; that the matter under examination was a detail for which he felt fully competent to assume responsibility, and that there were affairs of considerable more importance with which he did not disturb his superior.

Although his appointment to the presidency of the Great Northern was the visible mark of Kenney's "arrival," he had been on his way to it certainly for some time. He long ago came under the favorable notice of the elder Hill and for several years has been a trusted man in all of the larger Hill enterprises. He is a director and member of the Executive Committees of the First National Bank and the Northwestern Trust Co. of St. Paul, both Hill institutions.

It is said that Louis W. Hill, whose estimate of Kenney is the same as was that of his father, was directly responsible for one of the more important of his earlier advancements and one which put him in line for the presidency. Vice President Campbell had been obtained by the Great Northern from another road, and after a time surrounded himself with some of the men who formerly had worked with him. Among these was Harry M. Adams, who also has risen rapidly since that time. Adams now is vice president in charge of traffic for the Missouri Pacific Railroad, with headquarters in St. Louis, and recently was loaned by his company to the Government to be director of freight and passenger traffic for the War Department, under Gen. Goethals.

Campbell wanted an assistant, and consulted Hill regarding the matter. Hill asked if he had anyone in mind. Campbell mentioned Adams.

"Well, your man may be all right, and I have no doubt he is," Hill remarked, "but we also have some bright young men of our own, and Kenney is one of them." He was not insistent, but Campbell took the hint and Kenney was moved up from the position of assistant general freight agent. The question, however, apparently was more one of seniority than of the comparative ability of the two men.

Kenney was born at Fort Atkinson, Wis., and moved to Minneapolis when a boy. It was not long until he obtained a delivery route from a morning newspaper. After several hours of work before most persons were up he would put in a full day at school, and then work as a messenger boy for the Western Union Telegraph Co. in the later afternoon. At odd times he studied telegraphy. While still a youth he got a job as night operator at Rochester, Minn., for the St. Paul & Kansas City Railroad, now the Chicago Great Western.

From there he was transferred to the local agent's office of the road in Minneapolis. In those days things were less specialized than now, and local agents had wide jurisdiction. Yard crews, for instance, reported to them. Also, there was more interchange of work. So young Kenney not infrequently would go out to the yards and take a hand at switching. Otherwise he kept himself busy by studying shorthand, which brought him an opportunity to go into the general agent's office as telegraph operator and stenographer. Before long a new executive somewhere above discharged Kenney's immediate superior, the general agent. Feeling that an injustice had been done in the matter, Kenney, in a spirit of loyalty, resigned.

Then, for the only discoverable time in his career, he failed to run true to the form which attaches to all ambitious, energetic young men who eventually blast their way to the top. He didn't go out and hustle for another job, although he probably needed it. His salary had been moderate and he was already married.

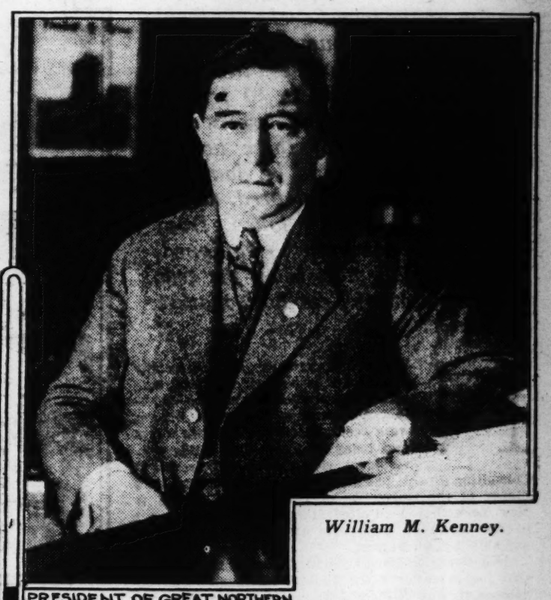


However, he had confidence that his work had been sufficiently good to attract attention and to bring some kind of an offer to him, so he went home and "waited for something to turn up," as he expressed it. He waited three weeks, having about the best vacation of his life, and then, at the solicitation of the Empire Line, a fast freight service, he became its local contract agent.

Later he obtained the position of chief clerk to W. W. Broughton, general freight agent of the St. Paul & Duluth Railroad. He stayed with Broughton in that capacity when the Great Northern absorbed the St. Paul & Duluth, in about 1898, and Broughton became assistant general freight agent of the Great Northern; and when Broughton became traffic manager of the Eastern Railway of Minnesota, a Hill property.

Kenney now was beginning to make his real mark and in about a year he was appointed assistant general freight agent of the Great Northern, and it was about a year after that that he became assistant to Vice President Campbell, who now is vice president of the New Haven road. Two years later Campbell resigned, Kenney's old chief, Broughton, became general traffic manager and Kenney himself assistant general traffic manager. Then Broughton resigned to go

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William M. Kenney.

PRESIDENT OF GREAT NORTHERN

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Great Northern Railway's Three Chief Executives Average 44 Years in Age

WITH the elevation of William M. Kenney to the presidency of the Great Northern Railroad at the age of 48, another of the road's young men has been given marked advancement. Ralph Budd, who has been assistant to President Hill, has been made executive vice president, meaning that at least part, if not all, of the other vice presidents will report to him instead of directly to the president. Budd is only 40 years old. He was born in Waterloo, Io., and began his railroad career in the engineering department of the Chicago Great Western Railway in 1899. From 1902 to 1905 he virtually reconstructed the entire Rock Island system. While at that task he met John F. Stevens, noted Panama Canal engineer, and in 1906 joined him on canal work. He became identified with the Hill forces in 1909 and his first job was to build the Oregon Trunk Line into Central Oregon, a $15,000,000 project.

His promotion and that of Kenney follows the policy of the late James J. Hill of putting young men in responsible positions in the management of the Great Northern Railroad. The appointments were made at this time, Louis W. Hill announced, because it was imperative the road should have additional executives in order to cooperate in the fullest way with the Government.

Mr. Hill himself is 44 years old, so that the average of the ages of himself, Mr. Kenney and Mr. Budd, the Great Northern's three chief executives, is 44 years.

The Construction of America's New "Unsinkable" Ship

Sides of the hold, bottom, and undersides of the lower decks are lined with airtight "buoyancy boxes," covered with galvanized iron, and though a hole 30 to 40 feet in width be torn in the vessel's side but one-tenth of these honeycombed cells would be damaged and the ship, it is figured, would still float — Prize taken from Germany has been so equipped, and possibly now is on the seas —Invention of New York marine engineer :: :: :: ::



These men on the deck of the "Lucia" are covering the water-tight boxes with galvanized iron.

NEWSPAPER readers, and especially those who have sons, brothers, husbands or sweethearts about to undertake the perilous journey to France, were keenly interested just two weeks ago today to learn that William L. Saunders, vice chairman of the Naval Consulting Board, had announced in an address at a dinner of the University of Pennsylvania alumni in New York that the United States had found a means of making troop transports and cargo carriers unsinkable by submarines.

He declared, presumably with Government authority, that the inventor of the plan, and the man who developed it, was William J. Donnelly, a New York marine engineer, working under the authorization of the Naval Consulting Board. He added that at least one ship so equipped then lay at an American port.

Since that time it has become known that the ship is the Lucia, which was seized from the German Government, and that she now is at Mobile, prepared to make her first journey across the Atlantic in defiance of the worst that the enemy torpedoes can do. Information also is at hand as to the details of how she was converted from a vulnerable ocean carrier to a vessel which, it is declared, will still remain afloat though a hole 30 or 40 feet in width be blown in her side.

It was accomplished by the use of thousands of "buoyancy boxes," which are added to the structure of the ship. They are put in position on the sides of the hold, the bottom and on the under side of the lower decks. Each box is made of boxboard and each is water-tight. The final process in the construction of an individual box is to cover it with galvanized iron, and it is then ready to be placed in position.

Should the ship be torpedoed, Mr. Donnelly declares, though a murderous hole be torn in her, there would be sufficient buoyancy in the undamaged boxes to keep her afloat. Owing to the vigilance of the patrol ships which now escort American vessels through the war zone, it is doubtful if the submarine could get in a second or a third shot, and the damaged vessel could proceed on her way as if nothing had happened.

The cost of equipping a ship with "buoyancy boxes" is only 10 per cent of the original cost of the vessel, which is inconsiderable, in view of the high insurance rate. While on the one hand the boxes reduce the cargo space of a merchantman 20 per cent, on the other this would be more than offset by keeping the smaller cargoes from becoming the prey of German U-boats. Thus, for every 100,000 cubic feet of cargo space in a ship's hold, 20,000 feet would be displaced by the boxes.

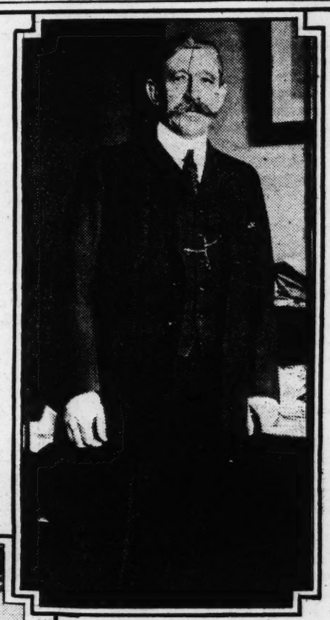
"Of course," said Mr. Saunders in his address, "it will take some time to equip similarly the large number of transports we have. It is my belief, however, that nothing will be left undone to safeguard the large troop contingents to be moved across the Atlantic.

"I can conceive of no reason why this information should be withheld. On the contrary, I believe it is well that the enemy may come to realize that the time has been reached when American transports are ready for the transportation of our troops which that enemy cannot sink."

A hole 30 to 40 feet in width, Mr. Saunders explained, would waterlog but one-tenth of the water-tight, honeycombed cells.

When Mr. Saunders' statement was made, there were recalled others made recently by Admiral Jellicoe, former First Sea Lord of the British Admiralty; Secretary Daniels and other officials, indicating that a way had been found which was expected to curb if not to eliminate the submarines within the next few months.

In predicting that the submarines would be "killed" by August, Admiral Jellicoe went further than the other officials. But he gave warning that heavy ship losses were to be expected up to that time. Secretary Baker, in his testimony before the Senate committee, indicated that he had information which he did not care to disclose in his replies to questions evoked by his statement that a million and a half American troops could be taken to France and kept supplied during 1918.



William J. Donnelly, the New York marine engineer who invented the "buoyancy box" scheme of making transports and merchantmen unsinkable.

Navy officials, without disclosing any of the new instruments that have been developed to meet the submarine menace, have pointed out that efforts started when the United States entered the war were on the point of bearing fruit.

Dispatches a few days ago carried the information that the tonnage sunk by submarines in 1917 was nearly three times as great as the production in the United States and Great Britain during that year. But, it was added, "American and British officials expect a very different story in 1918."

The sinking by submarines last year generally are reckoned at 6,000,000 tons. Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, announced in the British House of Commons that in the same time England produced only 1,163,474 tons and that the output of America was only 901,223 tons, a total of *(Continued on Page 14.)*

The hold of the "Lucia," showing how the boxes are placed between the frames and deck beams of the ship.



ANOTHER CHAPTER IN ROMANCE OF -- LEEDS "TIN PLATE" MILLIONS --

Widow to whom American Croesus left $29,000,000 reported wedded in Switzerland to Prince Christopher of Greece, youngest brother of deposed King Constantine—Recalls "War of Diamonds" waged between first and second wives of "Tin King," who was once railroad conductor in Indiana—Prince first cousin of King of Denmark :: ::

A LONDON journal of fashion announced a few days ago the marriage in Switzerland of Mrs. William B. Leeds to Prince Christopher of Greece, youngest brother of the deposed King Constantine. Thus this American woman, whose second husband, the late tin-plate king and railroad magnate, William B. Leeds, was once a railroad conductor in Indiana, becomes allied by marriage with the royal houses of Greece and Denmark, to say nothing of the relations established by the matings of her husband's brothers with Princesses of the houses of Hohenzollern, Romanoff and Bonaparte.

Prince Christopher, who is 30 years old, is first cousin to King Christian X of Denmark. His brother, former King Constantine, is married to Princess Sophie of Prussia, a sister of the German Emperor. Another brother, Prince George of Greece, married Princess Marie Bonaparte; and still another, Prince Nichalos, is the husband of the Grand Duchess Helene of Russia—if she still retains the title abolished by the revolution. The present King of Greece, Alexander, is a nephew of Prince Christopher. The latter is the youngest son of the late King George of Greece, who, a scion of the sovereign family of Denmark, was placed on the Greek throne in 1863 by England, France and Russia.

At about the same time that the diplomats were arranging the affairs of Greece—with world-notorious results in the great war—an American, William B. Leeds, was born in the Middle West. No one could have suspected that these two events, one brilliant and the other obscure, could have had any connection with each other. Yet they were the origins of the royal marriage which has just occurred between the beautiful and spectacular American widow and Prince Christopher of Greece.

In the year 1883 Leeds was a conductor on an Indiana division of the Vandalia Railroad, at a salary of $50 a month. Enjoying a similar position in the same division was Daniel G. Reid, later a tin and railroad millionaire.

Both were dischcarged by a new manager of the road, Leonard F. Loree, who declared they were being paid too much for the work they did. The two young men swore vengeance, which they were able to take in later years in a singular fashion. Reid entered a bank in Richmond, Ind., and by hard work rose to be vice president. Leeds entered the railroad field service with a surveyor's gang, and in 1885 became assistant engineer of the Columbus division of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

About the beginning of the '90s he went to Europe on a holiday, sightseeing, as his habit was, with his eyes wide open. Wales fascinated him. Wales was the country that supplied the world with tin. He knew that huge tin deposits in Indiana had lain idle because the tin of Wales held the world's markets. The people of Indiana, whose houses were built over tin deposits, paid to Welsh manufacturers every year thousands of dollars for tin.

Returning to his native State, Leeds talked tin, thought tin, dreamed tin. A change in the tariff about this time had placed a duty on tin, and here was his opportunity. Reid was his close confidant. In the end they gathered a small group of helpers and built the first tin-plate mill of any importance in the country. In seven years that mill was the head and center of the Tin Trust, and both Leeds and Reid were millionaires many times over.

They gained control of the Rock Island Railroad and made Loree, their ancient enemy, its general manager. They paid him back for the old injury with usury, for their plan in elevating him to this height was only to let him drop the farther and harder when they were ready. In a few months they found fault with his work and eventually turned him out as he had served them in the past.

During all of his years of struggle and poverty, Leeds had been faithfully aided by his wife, who was Miss Jeanette Irene Carr of Richmond, Ind. It is said that her money helped build the first tin-plate mill, the foundation of her husband's millions. But with advancing prosperity their affection grew cold. Leeds traveled much, but she remained at her Indiana home.

Business took him frequently to Cleveland, and there he made the acquaintance of Mrs. George E. Worthington, who had more than a local reputation at the time for beauty. The French artist, Helleu, was to say later that she possessed 98 of the 100 points which constitute consummate loveliness. She had been Miss Nonnie May Stuart, daughter of a wealthy man, the late William C. Stuart of Cleveland.

She was unhappy in her marriage,



When she was Mrs. William B. Leeds, wife of the American tin-plate king.



Prince Christopher of Greece.

and obtained a divorce from Worthington soon after meeting Leeds. He, in his turn, went to Mrs. Leeds and suggested a divorce. She agreed, on condition, it was stated, that Leeds pay her $1,000,000 in cash. Leeds and Mrs. Worthington were married in 1904.

But the first Mrs. Leeds nursed private projects of revenge, and she undertook to gain it by methods which set society to gasping. Leeds and his wife went to Palm Beach for the honeymoon, and who should turn up there at the same hotel, with 30 trunks of clothes, but Mrs. Leeds No. 1? The rivals instantly began a war of diamonds, pearls and finery in which money was spent like water. Each attempted to outshine the other in magnificence of attire. The first Mrs. Leeds was conceded to have won the initial skirmish at Palm Beach, for her successor, taken by surprise, had to suffer the humiliation of wearing at a musicale the same dress she had worn at a luncheon that very same day.

Mrs. Leeds No. 1 pursued the couple on their travels in this country and even in Europe, and waged valiantly the battle of clothes and expenditure. The contest grew to have an international interest. But in the end the heavier artillery won, for Leeds had many millions where his former wife had but one, and he was not backward in lavishing them on his wife.

His expenditures for her seemed mostly to have a million dollars as their unit. He provided her with a town house in New York which cost $1,000,000; the same sum was spent on a "cottage" for her at Newport; he paid a like amount for a sea-going yacht, on which the couple traveled from one European watering place to another, with their Nemesis always turning up wherever they arrived.

But she withdrew from the contest at last, when Leeds purchased for his wife a string of perfectly matched pearls at a cost of nearly a quarter of a million dollars. They came to public notice through a contretemps with the customs officials at New York. The dealer from whom they were purchased entered them as unstrung pearls, and paid the 10 per cent duty, amounting to $25,000. Later the officials noticed that the pearls were all pierced and that all needed to convert them into a necklace was a little string of gold or platinum. So it was decided to assess the pearls as a necklace, and an additional duty of $110,335 was exacted. The sum was paid under protest and the case carried to the courts, where the decision was adverse to Mrs. Leeds. But it was money well spent, for when Mrs. Leeds appeared with the necklace gleaming on her throat, her rival gave up the fight in despair.

Mrs. Leeds then began a triumphant campaign for social recognition in New York and Newport. She was able to enlist as her sponsor Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont, and Leeds obtained social credentials through James de Wolf Cutting, Elisha Dyer and Sydney J. Smith.

But all his wars of business and society wore down Leeds' health, and in 1906, two years after his second marriage, he suffered a stroke of paralysis. He was stricken a second time at the beginning of 1908, and was rushed to France for treatment by celebrated specialists. There he died in June of that year. By the terms of his will he left nothing to his first wife, but bequeathed $1,000,000 to their son, Rudolph G. Leeds. Except for a few other small gifts, he left his entire fortune to his widow, including the mansion at 897 Fifth avenue, the Newport palace which had belonged to Frederick Vanderbilt, and some $29,000,000 worth of stocks and bonds.

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CHRISTINE

By Alice Cholmondeley

The War Time Book of Which Everyone Is Talking

Later.

Bernd came to lunch, but also unfortunately so did his chief. They both arrived together after we had begun—there's a tremendous aller et venir all day in the house, and sometimes the traffic on the stairs to the drawing room gets so congested that nothing but a London policeman could deal with it. I could only say ordinary things to Bernd, and he went away, swept off by his Colonel, directly afterwards. He did manage to whisper he would try to come in to dinner tonight and get here early, but he hasn't come yet and it's nearly 7:30.

The Graf was at lunch, and two other men who ate their food as if they had to catch a train, and they talked so breathlessly while they ate that I can't think why they didn't choke; and there was great triumph and excitement because the Germans crossed into Luxembourg this morning on their way to France, marching straight through the expostulations and entreaties of the Grand Duchess, blowing her aside, I gather, like so much rather amusing thistledown. It seemed to tickle the Graf, whom I have not before seen tickled and hadn't imagined ever could be; but this idea of a junges Madchen—("Sie soll ganz niedlich sein," threw in one of the gobbling men. "Ja ganz appetitlich," threw in the other; "Na, es geht," said the Colonel with a shrug)—motoring out to bar the passage of a mighty army, trying to stop thousands of bayonets by lifting up one little admonitory kitten's paw, shook him out of his gravity into a weird, uncanny chuckling.

The Colonel, who was as genial and hilarious as ever, rather more so than ever, said all the Luxembourg railways would be in German hands by tonight. "It works out as easily and inevitably as a simple arithmetical problem," he laughed; and I heard him tell the Graf German cavalry was already in France at several points.

"Ja, ja," he said, apparently addressing me, for he looked at me and smiled, "when we Germans make war we do not wait till the next day. Everything thought of; everything ready; plenty of oil in the machine; und dann los."

He raised his glass. "Delightful young English lady," he said, "I drink to your charming eyes."

There's dinner. I must leave off.

Eleven p. m.

You'll never believe it, but Kloster has been given the Order of the Red Eagle First Class, and made a privy councillor and an excellency by the Kaiser this very day. And his most intimate friends, the cleverest talkers among his set, two or three who used to hold forth particularly brilliantly in his rooms on Socialism and the slavish stupidity of Germans, have each had an order and an advancement of some sort. Kloster was at the palace this afternoon. He knew about it yesterday when I was having my lesson. Kloster. Of all men. I feel sick.

Bernd didn't come to dinner, but was able to be with me for half an hour afterwards, half an hour of comfort I badly needed, for where can one's feet be set firmly and safely in this upheaving world? The Colonel was at dinner; he comes to nearly every meal; and it was he who started talking about Kloster's audience with Majestat this afternoon.

I jumped as though someone had hit me. "That can't be true," I exclaimed, exactly as one calls out quickly if one is suddenly struck.

They all looked at me. Somehow I saw that they had known about it beforehand, and Bernd told me tonight it was the Graf who had drawn the authorities' attention to the desirability of having tongues like Kloster's on the side of the Hohenzollerns.

"Dear child," said the Grafin gently, "we Germans do not permit our great to go unhonored."

"But he would never," I began; then remembered my lesson yesterday and his silence. So that's what it was. He already had his command to attend at the palace and be decorated in his pocket.

I sat staring straight before me. Kloster bought? Kloster for sale? And the Government at such a crisis finding time to bother about him?

"Ja, ja," said the Colonel gaily, as though answering my thoughts—and I found I had been staring without seeing him, straight into his eyes, "Ja, ja, we think of everything here."

"Not," gently amended the Grafin, "that it was difficult to think of honoring so great a genius as our dear Kloster. He has been in Majestat's thoughts for years."

"I expect he has," I said; for Kloster has often told me how they hated him at court, him and his friends, but that he was too well known all over the world for them to be able to interfere with him; something like, I expect, Tolstoi and the Russian court.

The Grafin looked at me quickly.

"And so has Majestat been in his," I continued.

"Kloster," said the Grafin very gently, "is a most amusing talker, and sometimes cannot resist saying the witty things that occur to him, however undesirable they may be. We all know they mean nothing. We all understand and love our Kloster. And nobody, as you see, dear child, more than Majestat, with his ever-ready appreciation of genius."

I could only sit silent, staring at my plate. Kloster gone. Kloster allowing himself to be gagged by a decoration. I wanted to push the intolerable thought away from me and cry out, "No, it can't be."

Why, who can one believe in now? Who is left? There's Bernd, my beloved, my heart's own mate; and as I sat there dumb, and they all triumphed on with their self-congratulations and satisfactions, and Majestat this, and Deutschland that, for an awful moment my faith in Bernd himself began to shake. Suppose he, too, he with his Prussian blood and upbringing, fell away and went over in spirit to the side of life that decorates a man in return for the absolute control of his thoughts, rewards him for the disposal of his soul? Kloster, that freest of critics, had gone over, his German blood after all unable to resist the call to slavery. I never could have believed it. I never would have believed it without actual proof. And Bernd? What about Bernd? For I haven't more believed in Kloster than I do in Bernd. Oh, little mother, I was cold with fear.

Then he came. My dear one came for a blessed half-hour. And because we, thank God, are betrothed, and so have the right to be alone together, we got rid of those smug triumphant others; and if he had happened not to be able to come, and I had had to wait till tomorrow, all night long thinking of Kloster, I believe I'd have gone mad. For you see one believes so utterly in a person one does believe in. At least, I do. I can't manage caution in belief, I can't give prudently, carefully, holding back part, as I'm told a woman does if she is really clever, in either faith or love. And how is one to get on without faith or love? Bernd comforted me. And he comforted me most by my finding how greatly he needed to be comforted himself. He was every bit as profoundly shaken and shocked as I was. Oh, the relief of discovering that!

We clung to each other, and comforted each other like two hurt children. Kloster has been so much to us both. More, perhaps, here in this place of hypocrisy and self-deceptions, than he would have been anywhere else. He stood for fearlessness, for freedom, for beauty, for all the great things. And now he has gone; silent, choked by the Rote Adler Orden Erste Klasse. It is an order with three classes. We wondered bitterly whether he couldn't have been had cheaper—whether second, or even third class, wouldn't have done it. He is now a Wirkliche Geheimrath mit dem Pradikat Excellenz. God rest his soul. CHRIS.

Berlin, Monday, Augst 3d, 1914.

Darling Own Mother:

It's only a matter of hours now before Bernd will have to go, and when he goes I'm coming back to you.

YOUR CHRIS.

Berlin, Monday, August 3d, evening.

Precious Mother:

I want to come back to you—directly Bernd has gone I'm coming back to you, and if he doesn't go soon but is used in Berlin at the staff headquarters, as he says now perhaps he may be for a while, I won't stay with the Koseritzes, but go back to Frau Berg's for as long as Bernd is in Berlin, and the day he leaves I start for Switzerland.

I don't know what is happening, but the Koseritzes have suddenly turned different to me. They're making me feel more and more uncomfortable and strange. And there's a gloom about them and the people who have been here today that sets me wondering whether their war plans after all are rolling along quite as smoothly as they thought. I never did quite believe the Koseritzes liked me, any of them, and now I'm sure they don't. Tonight at dinner the Graf's face was a thundercloud, and actually the Colonel, who hasn't been here all day, but came in late for dinner and went again immediately, didn't speak to me once. Hardly looked at me when he bowed, and his bow was the stiffest thing. I can't ask anybody if there is bad news for Germany, for it would be a most dreadful insult even to suggest there could be bad news. Besides, I feel as if I somehow were mixed up in whatever it is. Bernd hasn't been here since this morning. I shall go round to Frau Berg tomorrow and ask her if I can have my old room. But oh, little beloved mother, I feel torn in two! I want so dreadfully to get away, to go back to you, and the thought of being at Frau Berg's just waiting, waiting for the tiny scraps of moments Bernd can come to me, fills me with horror. And yet, how can I leave him? I love him so. And once he has gone, shall I ever see him again? If it weren't for him I'd have started for Switzerland yesterday, the moment I heard about Kloster, for the whole reason for my being in Berlin was only Kloster.

And now Kloster says he isn't going to teach me any more. Darling mother, I'm so sorry to have to tell you this, but it's true. He sent round a note this evening saying he regretted he couldn't continue the lessons. Just that. Not another word. I can't make anything out any more. I've got nobody but Bernd to ask, and I only see him in briefest snatches. Of course, I knew the lessons would be strange and painful now, but I thought we could manage, Kloster and I, by excluding everything but the bare teaching and learning, to go on and finish what we've begun. He knows how important it is to me. He knows what this journey here has meant to us, to you and me, the difficulty of it, the sacrifice. I'm very unhappy tonight, darling mother, and selfishly crying out to you. I feel almost like leaving Bernd and starting for Glion tomorrow. And then when I think of him without me—he's as spiritually alone in this welter as I am. I'm the only one he has, the only human being who understands. Today he said, holding me in his arms—you should see how we cling to each other now, as if we were drowning—"When this is over, Chris, when I've paid off my bill of duty and settled with them here to the last farthing of me that I've promised them, we'll go away forever. We'll never come back. We'll never be caught again."

Berlin, Tuesday, August 4th, 1914.

My Beloved Mother:

The atmosphere in this house really is intolerable, and I'm going back to Frau Berg's tomorrow morning. I've settled it with her by telephone, and I can have my old room. However lonely I am in it without my lessons and Kloster, without the reason there was for being there before, I won't have this horrid feeling of being in a place full of sudden and unaccountable hostility. Bernd came this morning, and the Grafin told him I was out, and he went away again. She couldn't have thought I was out, for I always tell her when I'm going, so she wants to separate us. But why? Why? And, oh, it means so much to me to see him; it was so cruel to find out by accident that he had been! A woman who was at lunch happened to say she had met him coming out of the front door as she came in.

"What—was Bernd here?" I exclaimed, half getting up on a sort of impulse to run after him and try and catch him in the street.

"Helena thought you had gone out," said the Grafin.

"But you knew I hadn't," I said, turning on Helena.

"Helena knew nothing of the sort," said the Grafin severely. "She said what she believed to be true. I must request you, Christine, not to cast doubts on her word. We Germans do not lie."

And the Graf muttered, "Peinlich, peinlich," and pushed back his chair and left the room.

"You have spoilt my husband's lunch," said the Grafin sternly.

"I am very sorry," I said; and tried to go on with my own, but couldn't see it because I was blinded by tears.

After this there was nothing for it but Frau Berg. I waited till the Grafin was alone, and then went and told her I thought it better I should go back to the Lutzowstrasse, and would like, if she didn't mind, to go tomorrow. It was very peinlich, as they say; for however much people want to get rid of you they're

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The Recovery of the $250,000 Munro Diamonds

ANOTHER TRUE STORY OF THE BEST WORK OF AMERICAN DETECTIVES

The crime was detected, the criminal arrested and the property recovered in a case where there was not the slightest clew and where the operative was forced to proceed entirely by inductive reasoning—Told by the man under whose direction the mystery was cleared up . :: :: ::

SEVERAL weeks ago, there appeared in the Post-Dispatch Sunday Magazine a symposium of four true detective stories under the caption "Best Work of American Detectives." They were taken from a book compiled by Detective F. Dalton O'Sullivan, of Chicago, "Enemies of the Underworld," which contains information of value to men ambitious to be detectives and in addition recounts in detail more than 60 cases handled with success by the best known "sleuths" in America.

Here is another story from the same volume. It is told by William D. Soule, chief of the Soule Secret Service, of Chicago, and deals with the solution of a famous jewel robbery. There was not a clew, and the mystery was cleared up entirely by inductive theory.



They went to a famous all-night restaurant, where the party was augmented by the addition of two gentlemen whom they had met through mutual friends. When the party left, Madame was in possession of all her jewels. Two weeks later they disappeared.

I REGARD the recovery of the Munro diamonds as the most skillful and marvelous piece of detective work that has come under my direction during 20 years of service.

The victim, Mme. Munro, although born and educated in America, had, when quite young, married a wealthy French merchant and gone to Paris to live. During their happy and prosperous married life Munro presented his wife with many jewels including some magnificent pearls and diamonds. But, after a few years, Munro died and his widow decided to visit her native land in order to get away, for the time being, from the scenes of her great bereavement.

Through thoughtlessness or vanity she brought with her jewels moderately estimated at a quarter of a million dollars. With her were two maids, who were really her companions, being connected by birth with the Munro family; and this perhaps added to her feeling of security—she took no particular precaution for the safety of herself or her jewels.

While in Chicago Mme. Munro had a desire to see a schoolgirl friend who had married and taken up her abode there. Our detective agency was employed to locate her, which we did within a short time, a thing which so pleased Mme. Munro that later, when she had most urgent need of assistance, she wired us from San Francisco.

In San Francisco, like all visitors, Mme. Munro and her companions looked forward to a visit to Chinatown. Such visits are made in safety, providing even ordinary precaution is used, and it is seldom that crimes are committed in this section. By some strange freak of fancy, Mme. Munro wore all her jewels on the night of her trip through Chinatown. There was no reason for this, and ordinary caution would have suggested that they be left in a place of safety. Afterward, in relating the matter to me, she could not tell me why she had worn the jewels, but it was clear she had not been pre-influenced. Owing to the heavy fog, Mme. Munro wore a waterproof coat which she kept closely buttoned during the entire trip, so that on no part of this journey through Chinatown was a single jewel exposed.

The trip was uneventful, and, after paying and dismissing their guide, they went to a famous all-night restaurant. At this place the party was augmented by the addition of two gentlemen whom they had previously met at their hotel through mutual friends. As they sat down to refreshments, the lady's coat was, of course, removed, thus displaying her jewels, which must have attracted attention. When the party left, long after midnight, madame was, nevertheless, in possession of all her jewels and she little suspected that a plan had been laid to dispossess her of them.

Two weeks later, however, they disappeared.

Mme. Munro went one afternoon to visit the Cliff House with her two companions. On this occasion she wore no jewels whatever. Instead, she had placed them all in her jewel box in one of the drawers of her dresser. On her return several hours later she found the box and all the jewelry missing.

As madame did not wish the story to reach her home in France, she decided to avoid the police and put the matter entirely in our hands. I boarded the first train West.

My investigation at the hotel was without reward, for the thief had not forced the door, and had otherwise left not even so much as a finger print. Therefore it was necessary to follow and investigate the lady's every movement from the time she arrived in San Francisco to the time the jewels disappeared, in order to locate, if possible, the locality in which some shrewd thief had conceived the idea of this remarkable robbery.

We went over the trip through Chinatown, taking the same guide and going at the same hour. We found not even the slightest clew. In the meantime I ordered the two gentlemen who had dined with madame to be shadowed, but found not the slightest reason for suspecting them.

On the night following the Chinatown investigation we visited the all-night restaurant where Mme. Munro had displayed her jewels; and, although we had men and women operatives scattered throughout the place, we found no clew on which to work.

We then commenced another line of detective work, probably the most thorough ever undertaken in such a case. We secretly investigated every one of the restaurant employes, and by a process of elimination cast our suspicion upon one waiter, who, without warning, had left the employ of the restaurant the day following the visit of Mme. Munro's party, but still 10 days before the robbery was committed.

We learned that this man had been in and around his old haunts in San Francisco, unemployed, for a period of 10 days after leaving the restaurant, yet showing no desire to return to his work. His place of abode during these 10 days was unknown to his old friends, and he had finally disappeared altogether. But our patient search was rewarded by finding one of his friends, who had received a letter from him dated New Orleans, general delivery.

Our description of the man was perfect, and I at once took the train for New Orleans. Here it was but the work of a day to locate the man through a decoy letter, and our shadows trailed him to a rooming house in an obscure neighborhood in the poor French quarter, where they encamped about him and watched every move for two monotonous weeks. Finally we shadowed him to a pawnshop, where he stood gazing into the window, evidently trying to see whether he could recognize someone inside. This gave our shadows the impression that the man had had dealings at this shop. Our suspicions were further confirmed by the fact that he always had money.

I immediately made inquiries of the pawnbroker, and discovered that only two days before my arrival a man answering the description of the waiter had sold him a loose diamond. This was our first gleam of light, although meantime we had gained access to his room and searched every conceivable place without finding any trace of his jewelry. The landlady, an honest French woman, informed us that only that morning her roomer had returned from downtown apparently much excited, and had spent considerable time in reading a letter which he afterward burned, taking care to remain in the room until it was entirely consumed. The letter was a heap of blackened ashes, but even as I pondered over this, one of my shadows called me on the telephone to say that our man had purchased a second-class ticket for New York and was even then in the train. In a few minutes I and my two shadows were on the same train.

The following of this man to New York was a most arduous task, for he roused himself at every station, giving our shadows the impression that he expected to

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Shadow 167 miles wide, hundreds of thousands of miles long, and traveling at the rate of more than 1000 to 5000 miles an hour, caused by the passage of the moon between the sun and the earth, will pass diagonally across the United States during the daylight hours of June 8, and will be visible in every section of the country—Will require only 47 minutes to travel entire distance from coast to coast—Scientists already are making preparations to make exhaustive investigation of great sky phenomenon

AT sunrise on June 9 of this year will occur one of the greatest of sky phenomena. On that day the moon, in its travels around the earth, will cast between the earth and the sun a shadow 167 miles wide, and this shadow, which will appear at a time of day when it will be visible to a large proportion of the world's population, will travel over the earth at the rate of between 1000 and 5000 miles an hour.

The shadow will first appear at sunrise on June 9 (it will be June 8 in the United States) on the little island of Borodino off the coast of Japan. It then will sweep eastward and, having by this time attained a speed of 33 miles a minute, will arrive two hours and 15 minutes later, or at 2:55 p. m., Pacific time, at the mouth of the Columbia River in Washington State.

For the next 47 minutes, people in every part of the United States—in those sections, of course, favored with clear skies—will be privileged to witness an eclipse of the sun such as has not been seen in this country in a great many years.

The last great eclipse observed in America was that of May 28, 1900, but the one of this year will surpass it both in total path length and the available territory which it covers. The same is true with reference to the eclipse of 1878, although the one in 1865 equaled the coming one in total path length.

From the Columbia River the path of the total eclipse will sweep Southeast, will pass the Mississippi River at 5:37 p. m., central time, and will leave the coast of Florida at 6:43 Eastern time. Three minutes later it will be lost in the sunset 400 miles at sea.

Those persons living on the track of the eclipse, or those sufficiently interested who travel to a point in the path, will be the only ones able to see the eclipse in totality. Residents of other sections of the country will see it only partially, according to their distance from the track, but it nevertheless will be an imposing sight. Cambridge, Mass., for instance, as will be seen by a reference to the map on this page, is many hundreds of miles from the path, but the per cent of totality even there will be 63 per cent.

The path of totality is clearly indicated by the lines on the map. The figures at the right give the duration of totality as seen on the central line of the track in minutes and seconds, those at the left are the standard times of the beginning of the total phase for the corresponding points in the central path, and under the latter will be found the sun's altitude. To find the per cent of the eclipse for any place not on the map, deduct 1 per cent for every 30 miles the place is from the middle line of the eclipse track. St. Louis, for instance is 360 miles from the middle of the track, hence the per cent of totality is 88.

Scientists have noted with interest that the coming eclipse is a return of the one of 1900. The length of the Saros, or interval between eclipses, was determined by the ancient Chaldeans as 18 years, 11 1-3 days (10 1-3 days if five leap years had intervened). The eclipse of May 28, 1900, occurred about 8 a. m. If

18 years, 11 1-3 days be added to this, it easily can be seen how it may be expected to return at 4 p. m. on June 8, 1918. As a matter of fact, a strict calculation will throw this in doubt only a matter of some minutes.

The following data, descriptive of eclipses of the sun, has been prepared for the Post-Dispatch by the Rev. Father J. B. Goesse, professor of astronomy at St. Louis University:

"In an eclipse of the sun, the moon's shadow passes over part of the earth. The greatest width of the shadow is 167 miles. It passes over the observer at the equator at the rate of 1060 miles an hour, but for higher altitudes the speed is very much greater and when the shadow falls very obliquely this speed may amount to 5000 miles an hour. The length of the moon's shadow varies between 228,300 and 236,050 miles.

"The longest duration of a solar eclipse is seven minutes and 58 seconds. In our latitude, however, the duration of a total solar eclipse can barely exceed six minutes."

Anyone who has witnessed a solar eclipse under favorable conditions doubtless remembers the feeling of awe which it inspired. Shortly before totality, shadows of foliage assumed a peculiar appearance. The light, coming from the edge of the sun only, produced an effect more like that of oxy-hydrogen light. Animals acted strangely and in a perplexed manner, and birds went to roost.

As a rule, too, the temperature falls a few degrees and sometimes dew appears, Alternating light and dark bands appear on white surfaces, supposed to be due to irregular atmospheric refraction of the light from the sun's still exposed surface. As soon as totality begins the corona and the prominences of the sun

MEMBER THE SOLAR ECLIPSE OF 1900?

MPOSING ONE IS COMING SOON

appear, and stars of the first three magnitudes also are visible.

Total solar eclipses always are occasions for great preparation among scientists, for opportunity is afforded to correct existing tables of the sun's and moon's motion, search for intramercurial planets and study of fringes around the sun. Measurements also can be taken of the intensity of light and spectroscopic observations made upon the lower atmosphere of the sun. Astronomical photography is afforded a wonderful field, and the coming eclipse doubtless will be productive of some wonderful photographs, made possible by greatly improved instruments since the opportunity of their use was last afforded.

There was a time when such a celestial phenomenon as an eclipse of the sun was believed to be a visitation of the wrath of God, and aroused terror instead of wonderment in the beholder. Some thought it presaged an overthrow of states; for others it implied a universal deluge or world-wide conflagration, while some believed it would infect the air. Not so many years ago a negro in the United States killed his wife, family and himself at the time of a solar eclipse because he believed that the end of the world was at hand. But science and education have removed all these fears and now the sight excites in the layman little save to turn his thoughts for an hour or a day to the wonders of the universe.

History records that it was the providential intervention of an eclipse of the moon that saved Christopher Columbus and his little army from possible starvation at Jamaica. They found means of obtaining food from the natives by informing them that that evening they would be deprived of the light of the moon. The eclipse had scarcely commenced when the food was forthcoming. This eclipse, which occurred March 1, 1504, was observed in Europe, and records of it, compiled at Ulm by Stoffer, and at Nuremburg by Bernard Walker, are extant to this day.

An eclipse of the sun and an eclipse of the moon, declares Camille Flammarion, the great French astronomer and perhaps the world's greatest writer on the subject, are phenomena of a different kind. In the former the moon hides the sun wholly or in part for certain points of the earth's surface; in some places it is total and at others partial. In an eclipse of the moon, however, that satellite ceases wholly or in part to be illuminated by the sun, because it then passes through the shadow of the earth, and this aspect of the moon is the same for all the inhabitants of the terrestrial hemisphere where the moon is above the horizon.

"We understand at once from this," he goes on in one of his astronomical textbooks, "that the calculations of an eclipse of the moon present fewer complications than that of an eclipse of the sun, since for the former we have only to indicate the general circumstances of the phenomena, which are the same for all observers, while for the latter the indication of the general circumstances is far from sufficing, on account of the differences of aspect according to the region and the narrowness of the zone in which the eclipse is central. The ancients, who were far from knowing the motion of the moon with as much precision as we do, had not the means of accurately predicting eclipses of the sun. They only predicted eclipses of the moon, relying on the fact that they are reproduced very nearly periodically, presenting the same characters, and with the same interval between them, in the course of 18 years 11 days; so that it was sufficient to have observed and registered all those which were produced in a similar period of time to foretell with certainty those which would be produced in the following period.

"Now, on the contrary, with the much more precise knowledge we have of the moon's motion, we are in a position to calculate and foretell for a great number of years, and even centuries in advance, not only the general circumstances of eclipses of the moon, but even the detailed course of eclipses of the sun. We can even, by a retrospective examination, give an account of all the circumstances which an ancient eclipse should have presented in such or such a locality, and find the precise date of certain historical events of which the epoch is a subject of discussion. An eclipse of the sun is a veritable rarity for any given place. Herodotus relates that at the moment of a battle between the Lydians and the Medes a total eclipse of the sun at once stopped the stupefied combatants and put an end to the war. Till recently historians gave various dates for this event, from the year 626 before our era down to the year 583; astronomical calculations, however, prove that this battle took place on May 28 of the year 585 B. C.

"Eclipses of the sun always happen at the moment of new moon, and eclipses of the moon at the moment of full moon. This circumstance has long since made known the cause to which they are due. At the moment of new moon, the moon, passing between the earth and the sun, can hide from our view a larger or smaller portion of that body. At the moment of full moon, on the contrary, the earth is found between the sun and the moon; it can then prevent the solar rays from reaching the latter body. All this is easily explained.

"If the moon revolved around the earth in the same plane as the earth round the sun, it would be eclipsed in our shadow at every full moon, and it would eclipse the sun at every new moon. But she passes sometimes above and sometimes below the cone of the shadow and she can only be eclipsed when she penetrates into this shadow."

Of Interest to St. Louisans Should the Day of the Eclipse Be a Fair One

IN St. Louis the sun will be eclipsed 88 per cent. People here will be unable to see the eclipse totally because the city is not in the path of the total eclipse.

The beginning of the eclipse will be at 4:27 p. m.

The middle of the eclipse will be at 5:30 p. m.

The end of the eclipse will be at 6:27 p. m.

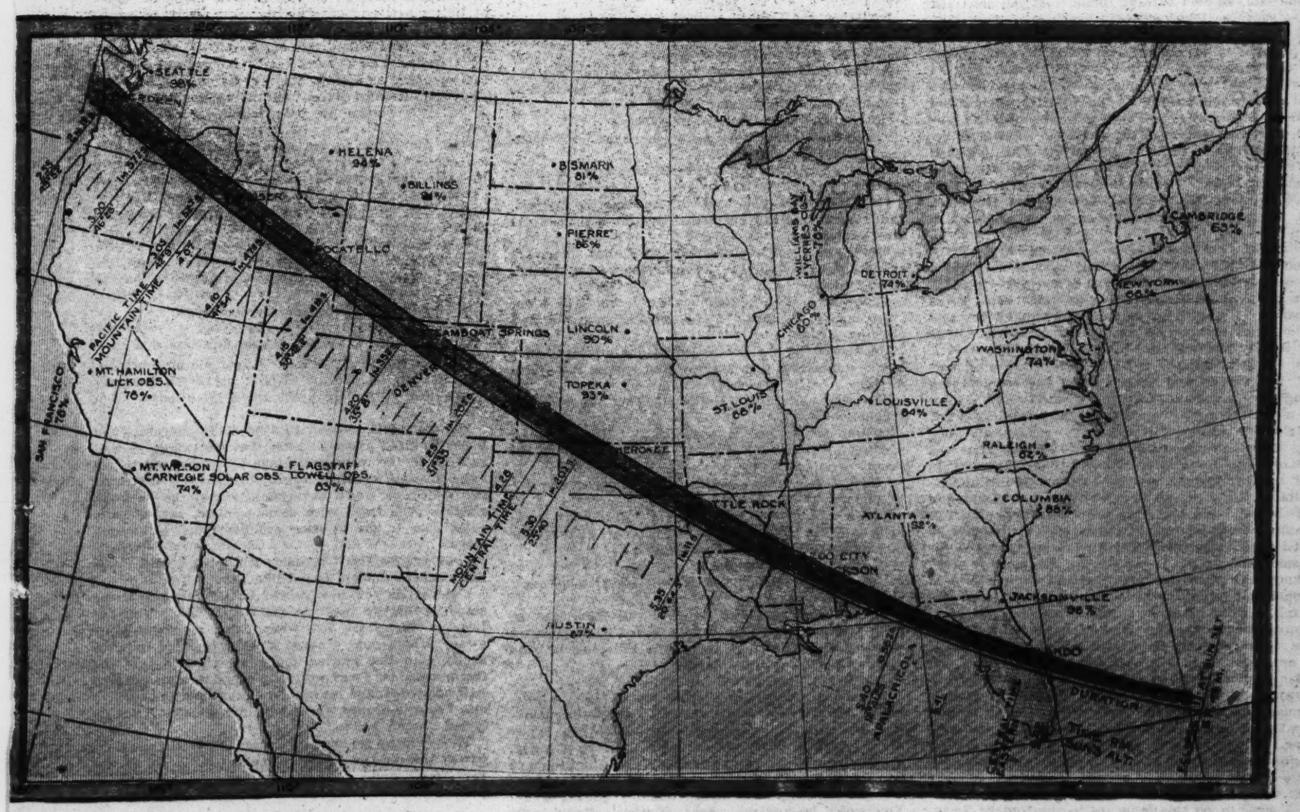


Diagram showing the path of the Moon's shadow across the United States, with the Standard Times of beginning of totality, the duration of totality and altitude of the Sun. From a chart prepared at the Washburn Observatory, Topeka, Kan.

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always angry if you want to go. I said all I could that was grateful, and there was quite a lot I could say by blotting out the last two days from my remembrance. I did, being greatly at sea and perplexed, ask what it was that I had done to offend her; though, of course, she didn't tell me, and was only still more offended at being asked.

I'm going to pack now, and write a letter to Bernd telling him about it, in case Helena should have a second unfortunate conviction that I'm not at home when he comes next. And I do try to be cheerful, little mother, and keep my soul from getting hurt, and when I'm at Frau Berg's I shall feel more normal again I expect. But one has such fears—oh, more than just fears, terrors—Well, I won't go on writing in this mood. I'll pack. YOUR OWN CHRIS.

At Frau Berg's August 4th, 1914, very late.

Precious Mother:

I'm coming back to you. Don't be unhappy about me. Don't think I'm coming back mangled, a bleeding thing, because, you see, I still have Bernd. I still believe in him—oh, with my whole being. And as long as I do that how can I be anything but happy? It's strange how, now that the catastrophe has come, I'm quite calm, sitting here at Frau Berg's in my old room in the middle of the night, writing to you. I think it's because the whole thing is so great that I'm like this, like somebody who has had a mortal blow, and because it's mortal, doesn't feel. But this isn't mortal. I've got Bernd and you—only now I must have great patience. Till I see him again. Till war is over and he comes for me, and I shall be with him always.

I'm coming to you, dear mother. It's finished here. I'm going to describe it all quite calmly to you. I'm not going to be unworthy of Bernd, I won't have less dignity and patience than he has. If you'd seen him tonight saying good-by to me, and stopped by the Colonel! His look as he obeyed—I shan't forget it. When next I'm weak and base I shall remember it, and it will save me.

At dinner there were only the Grafin and Helena and me, and they didn't speak a word, not only not to me, but not to each other, and in the middle a servant brought in a note for the Grafin from the Graf, he said, and when she had looked at it she got up and went out. We finished our dinner in dead silence, and I was going up to my room when the Grafin's maid came after me and said would I go to her mistress. She was alone in the drawing room, sitting at her writing table, though she wasn't writing, and when I came in she said, without turning round, that she must ask me to leave her house at once, that very evening. She said that apart from her private feelings, which were all in favor of my going—she would be quite frank, she said—there were serious political reasons why I shouldn't stay even as long as till tomorrow. The Graf's career, his position in the ministry, their social position, Majestat—I really don't remember all she said, and it matters so little, so little. I listened, trying to understand, trying to give all my attention to it and disentangled it, while my heart was thumping because of Bernd. For I was being turned out in disgrace, and I am his betrothed, and so I am his honor, and whatever of shame there is for me there is of shame for him.

The Grafin got more and more unsteady in her voice as she went on. She was trying hard to keep calm, but she was evidently feeling so acutely, so violently, that it was distressing to have to watch her. I was so sorry. I wanted to put my arms round her and tell her not to mind so much, that of course I'd go but if only she wouldn't mind so much whatever it was. Then at last she began to lose her hold on herself, and got up and walked about the room saying things about England. So then I knew. And I knew the answer to everything that has been perplexing me. They'd been afraid of it the last two days, and now they knew it. England isn't going to fold her arms and look on. Oh, how I loved England then! Standing in that Berlin drawing room in the heart of the junker-military-official set, all by myself in what I think and feel—how I loved her! My heart was thumping five minutes before for fear of shame, now it thumped so that I couldn't have said anything if I'd wanted to for gladness and pride. I was a bit of England. I think to know how much one loves England one has to be in Germany. I forgot Bernd for a moment, my heart was so full of that other love, that proud love for one's country when it takes its stand on the side of righteousness. And presently the Grafin said it all, tumbled it all out—that England was going to declare war, and under circumstances so shameful, so full of the well-known revolting hypocrisy, that it made an honest German sick. "Belgium!" she cried; "What is Belgium? An excuse, a pretense, one more of the sickening, whining phrases with which you conceal your gluttonous opportunism"—— And so she continued, while I stood silent.

Oh, well, all that doesn't matter now—I'm in a hurry. I want to get this letter off to you tonight. Luckily there's a letter box a few yards away, so I won't have to face much of those awful streets that are yelling now for England's blood.

I went up and got my things together. I knew Bernd would get the letter I posted to him this morning telling him I was going to Frau Berg's tomorrow, so I felt safe about seeing him, even if he didn't come in to the Koseritzes before I left. But he did come in He came just as I was going downstairs carrying my violin case—how foolish and outside of life that music business seems now—and he seized my hand and took me into the drawing room.

"Not in here, not in here!" cried the Grafin, getting up excitedly. "Not again, not ever again, does an Englishwoman come into my drawing room"——

Bernd went to her and drew her hand through his arm and led her politely to the door, which he shut after her. Then he came back to me. "You know, Chris," he said, "about England?"

"Of course—just listen," I answered, for in the street newsboys were yelling Kriegserklarung Englands, and there was a great dull roaring as of a multitude of wild beasts who have been wounded.

"You must go to your mother at once—tomorrow," he said. "Before you're noticed, before there's been time to make your going difficult."

I told him the Grafin had asked me to leave, and I was coming here tonight. He wasted no words on the Koseritzes, but was anxious lest Frau Berg mightn't wish to take me in now. He said he would come with me and see that she did, and place me under her care as part of himself. "And tomorrow you run. You run to Switzerland, without telling Frau Berg or a soul where you are going," he said. "You just go out, and don't come back. I'll settle with Frau Berg afterwards. You go to the Anhalter station—on your feet, Chris, as though you were going for a walk—and get into the first train for Geneva, Zurich, Lausanne, anywhere, as long as it's Switzerland. You'll want all your intelligence. Have you money enough?"

"Yes, yes," I said, feeling every second was precious and shouldn't be wasted; but he opened my violin case and put a lot of bank notes into it.

"And have you courage enough?" he asked, taking my face in his hands and looking into my eyes.

Oh, the blessedness, the blessedness of being near him, of hearing and seeing him. What couldn't I and wouldn't I be and do for Bernd?

I told him I had courage enough, for I had him, and I wouldn't fail in it, nor in patience.

"We shall want both, my Chris," he said, his face against mine, "oh, my Chris"——

And then the Colonel walked in.

"Herr Leutnant?" he said, in a raucous voice, as though he were ordering troops about.

At the sound of it Bernd instantly became rigid and stood at attention—the perfect automaton, except that I was hanging on his arm.

"Zu Befehl, Herr Oberst," he said.

"Take that woman's hand off your arm, Herr Leutnant," said the Colonel sharply.

Bernd gently put my hand off, and I put it back again.

"We are going to be married," I said to the Colonel, "and perhaps I may not see Bernd for a long while after tonight."

"No German officer marries an alien enemy," snapped out the Colonel. "Remove the woman's hand, Herr Leutnant"

Again Bernd gently took my hand, but I held on. "This is good-by, then?" I said, looking up at him and clinging to him.

He was facing the Colonel, rigid, his profile to me; but he did at that turn his head and look at me. "Remember"—— he breathed.

"I forbid all talking, Herr Leutnant," snapped the Colonel.

"Never mind him," I whispered. "What does he matter? Remember what, my Bernd, my own beloved?"

"Remember courage—patience," he murmured quickly, under his breath.

"Silence!" shouted the Colonel. "Take that woman's hand off your arm, Herr Leutnant. Kreuzhimmeldonnerwetter nochmal. Instantly."

Bernd took my hand, and, raising it to his face, kissed it slowly and looked at me. I shall not forget that look.

The Colonel, who was very red and more like an infuriated machine than a human being, stepped on one side and pointed to the door. "Precede me," he said. "On the instant. March."

And Bernd went out as if on parade.

When shall we see each other again? Only a fortnight, one fortnight and two days, have we been lovers. But such things can't be measured by time. They are of eternity. They are for always. If he is killed, and the rest of my years are empty, we still will have had the whole of life.

And now there's tomorrow, and my getting away. You won't be anxious, dear mother. You'll wait quietly and patiently till I come. I'll write to you on the way if I can. It may take several days to get to Switzerland, and it may be difficult to get out of Germany. I think I shall say I'm an American. Frau Berg, poor thing, will be relieved to find me gone. She only took me in tonight because of Bernd. While she was demurring on the threshold, when at last I got to her after a terrifying walk through the crowds—for I was afraid they would notice me and see, as they always do, that I'm English—his soldier servant brought her a note from him which just turned the scale for me. I'm afraid humanity wouldn't have done it, nor pity, for patriotism and pity don't go well together here.

I wonder if you'll believe how calmly I'm going to bed and to sleep tonight, on the night of what might seem to be the ruin of my happiness. I'm glad I've written everything down that has happened this evening. It has got it so clear to me. I don't want ever to forget one word or look of Bernd's tonight. I don't want ever to forget his patience, his dear look of untouchable dignity, when the Colonel, because he is in authority and can be cruel, at such a moment in the lives of two poor human beings was so unkind.

God bless and keep you, my mother—my dear, sweet mother. YOUR CHRIS.

Halle, Wednesday night, August 5th, 1914.

I've got as far as this, and hope to get on in an hour or two. We've been stopped to let troop trains pass. They go rushing by one after the other, packed with waving, shouting soldiers, all of them with flowers stuck about them, in their buttonholes and caps. I've been watching them. There's no end to them. And the enthusiasm of the crowds on the platform as they go by never slackens. I'm making for Zurich. I tried for Bale, but couldn't get into Switzerland that way—it is abgesperrt. I hadn't much difficulty getting a ticket in Berlin. There was such confusion and such a rush at the ticket office that the man just asked me why I wanted to go; and I said I was American and rejoining my mother, and he flung me the ticket, only too glad to get rid of me. Don't expect me till you see me, for we shall be held up lots of times, I'm sure.

I'm all right, mother darling. It was fearfully hot all day, squeezed tight in a third-class carriage—no other class to be had. It's cold and drafty in this station, by comparison, and I wish I had my coat. I've brought nothing away with me, except my fiddle and what would go in its case, which was handkerchiefs. Bernd will see that my things get sent on, I expect. I locked everything up in my trunk—your letters and my precious things. An official came along the train at Wittenberg, and after eyeing us all in my compartment suddenly held out his hand to me and said, "Ihre Papiere." As I haven't got any I told him about being an American, and as much family history not till then known to me as I could put into German. The other passengers listened eagerly, but not unfriendly. I think if you're a woman not being old helps one in Germany.

Now I'm going to get some hot coffee, for it has turned cold, I think, and post this. The one thing in life now that seems of desperate importance is to get to you! It will be like getting to heaven, like getting at last, after many wanderings, and batterings, to the feet of God.

We ought to be at Waldshut, on the frontier, tomorrow morning, but nobody can say for certain, because we may be held up for hours anywhere on the way. YOUR CHRIS.

It's a good thing being too tired to think.

Wurzburg, Thursday, August 6th, 1914, 4 p. m.

I've only got as far as this. I was held up this time, not the train. It went on without me. Well, it doesn't matter really; it only keeps me a little longer from you.

We stopped here about 10 o'clock this morning, and I was so tired and stiff after the long night wedged in tight in the railway carriage that I got out to get some air and unstiffen myself, instinctively clutching my fiddle case; and a Bavarian officer on the platform, watching the train with some soldiers, saw me and came over to me to once and demanded to see my papers.

"You are English," he said; and when I said I was American he made a sound like Tcha.

I can't tell you how horrid he was. He kept me standing for two hours in the blazing sun. You can imagine what I felt like when I saw my train going away without me. I asked if I mightn't go into the shade, into the waiting room, anywhere out of the terrible sun, for I was positively dripping after the first half hour of it, and his answer to that and to anything else I said in protest was always the same: "Krieg ist Krieg. Mund halten."

There was no reason why I shouldn't be in the shade, except that he had power to prevent it. Well, he was very young, and I don't suppose had ever had so much power before, so I suppose it was natural, he being Ger-

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WHEN THE CITY FELLER "SET UP" WITH AN OZARKER'S "GAL"

He didn't really do it, because her "steady" made it necessary for him to seek surgical attention, but his intentions were of the best, for hadn't he "set up" on previous occasions, and how was he to know that the words had a double meaning?—Emroe uses the "dude's" experience as an argument against suffrage :-: :-: :-: :-: :-: :-:

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Alice Curtice Moyer-Wing

HE put his hat on the back of his head, placed one hand on his hip, rested a foot backward against the fence, said his first name was Emroe and declared himself ready to talk.

"It ain't that I jist don't want women to vote," he began. "I ain't down on women takin' any part in the world that they're prepared fer, same as men. It's jist that I don't believe the people in the city is compertent to take a hand in things, men ner women nuther. I ain't never been to a city, and what's more, I don't aim to. But if I ain't mightily mistaken, the city folks ain't got no business a-votin'. I've got a heap reasons fer my belief. Heap of 'em. But the main one is that they're all doods. Yes-sir! Jist a passel of doods. Men and women both. Take Tommie Beck, fer example. Sort of relation to my woman. Ain't got time to talk to you so very long this mornin', but reckon I'll jist have to tell you about Tommie.

"I'm fixin' to take a couple of hawgs to town this evenin', and want to git back before supper time. It's a right smart piece to haul 'em, but once I git 'em there, I don't have to think about 'em agin till they're ready to butcher. I reckon I'll ride in once in a while to see how they're a-gittin' along, but I won't have to feed 'em none. I've heerd they don't allow the hawgs and cattle to run loose on the streets in Sent Louis. That's another thing I've got agin the city. Why, they ain't no tellin' how many hawgs gits fat right here in our county seat, jist a-pickin up their livin' around, and think how many more could be fattened where the pickin' was jist so much bigger. We shore know how to treat our hawgs down here. Why, they jist ain't nothin' too good fer 'em. In the summer time, when it's hot, we see to it that they have their wallers located in a suitable place. Right in front of the stores is ginerally selected fer wallerin' places.



Barney Bent's Flossie.

"But as I was a-sayin', Tommie, he come down to visit us oncet, all dressed up in a little mustache and a part in the middle of his head. The minute I seen him I jist natcherly ached to land him one. I reckon he seen my fists all doubled up, and he says: 'You cannot hit me with impunity,' he says. 'Then how'll a club do?' I axes him, 'er my fists,' I says. I sorter hated to light into him the fust thing, though, so I let him go on into the house, where he stayed the most of the time that fust day, but in the course of a week he was goin' out fer walks, 'along the beautiful highways,' he said, meanin' the roads.

"Luke Stokes was at my house a day or two after Tommie come. 'Pitch at me,' says Luke, a'offerin' his hand when I made 'em acquainted. 'I'm right-handed and red-headed,' he says. Luke has always got somethin' funny to get off, but Tommie, he couldn't see through a stone wall with a hole in it big enough fer him to crawl through. He looked after Luke as he rid away and 'lowed that it shore was too bad that Mr. Stokes was color blind. His hair was plumb black, he said, and 'lowed that he'd write off to some doctor institution right away to find out how to treat it. Said maybe he could git him plumb over the disease while he was down here.

"'Where do you keep your sheep?' he axed me one day.

"'In the fur pasture,' I told him, meanin', of course, that they was in the pasture furdest away.

"'Oh!' he says. 'Do you also raise fur? That is a new industry. And, indeed, it must be quite profitable,' he says. 'How do you raise it?' he axes.

"'Yes,' I says, 'it's awful profitable. Shore is. We jist sow fur seed like it was timothy. Comes up awful thick,' I tells him. 'Ginerally git two cuttin's a year off of a patch of it. And we keep a bee, too,' I says. 'It's shore nice to have all the honey you want. And one of our cows gives buttermilk,' I tells him.

"He was jist plumb tickled to git all that information. 'Lowed he'd heerd it talked about and disputed a heap of times, and now he knowed the truth about it at last. Said he'd shore put everybody right on the subject of them two pints, soon as he got back to the city.

"But that settin'-up business was the funniest and the foolest thing he done. Haw! haw! haw! I'll jist natcherly take the time to tell you. It all come about frum me a-takin' him with me one night to set with Jim Blunt. Jim had the fever and the neighbors was a-takin' turns a-settin' up with him. Blame me if Tommie didn't git right interested somehow. You know how some folks jist sorter takes to nussin' the sick. The neighbors was all tard out and we jist let Tommie take the case, since he didn't have nothin' else to do and enjoyed it so well. I'll have to give him credit, too, fer the way he tuck keer of Jim, blame if I don't. I always believe in givin' the devil his dues,



"The minute I see him I ached to land him one."



He put his hat on the back of his head, placed one hand on his hip, rested a foot backward against the fence, and said his first name was Emroe.

and I ain't agin sayin' that Jim moughtn't a-got well like he did if it hadn't a-been that they was jist one person a-handlin' the medicine and a-stickin' to the job.

"Well, one day, after Jim was up and around, Tommie, who kept on a visitin' us, heerd somebody say somethin' about Barney Bent a-settin' up with Flossie Stiver. Barney had been a-goin' with Flossie a long time and fer purty nigh a year he'd been a-settin' up with her steady. We was expectin' 'em to git married most any day. They ain't no sign so sure, hardly, as a feller a-walkin' eight mile to set up with a girl till midnight and then a-trackin' it back over them eight miles agin. Heap of nights Barney wouldn't more than git home by the time he had to git to work in the cornfield, his folks bein' great hands to git to work at daylight.

"Well, that night, after hearin' about it, Tommie, he up and commenced a-gittin' ready fer to go down to Stiver's to take his turn a-settin' up with Flossie. When I axed him where he was a-goin' he shore give me a piece of his mind. 'Lowed it was mighty quare that a stranger had to come into the neighborhood and learn the people their duty. Said frum what he heerd 'em a-sayin' he reckoned that feller had been a-settin' up with that girl purty nigh a year, hand-runnin', without nobody to relieve him. The pore feller must be plumb tuckered out, he 'lowed.

"I told him that Barney didn't want nobody to relieve him. Like as not, I said, he wouldn't be tickled a-tall if anybody undertuck to set up with Flossie. But the blame fool couldn't tumble if a house fell on him. Said he reckoned that the pore feller felt so hurt that nobody didn't come to take turns with him that he had jist wrapped hisself up in his pride and wouldn't let on. But that no doubt he would be awful glad if somebody would jist offer to he'p him out a little.

"I got a pitcher of Barney in my mind while Tommie was a-talkin'—Barney a-wantin' somebody to take turns with him a-settin' up with Flossie. I called to mind the skinned head Jake Fullerton packed around with him fer a month after tryin' to take Flossie home frum the spellin' at the schoolhouse. I 'membered how he purty nigh squeezed the life out of Sam Tubbs when he tried to buy Flossie's pie at the pie supper. My mind went back to how Barney used to mule-up as a kid and grit his teeth and light into somebody twicet his size if they got him mad. I 'membered how the whole

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CHAPTER V.

AT THE RIDING SCHOOL.

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS, the Crown Prince Ferdinand William Otto was in disgrace.

He had risen at 6, bathed, dressed and gone to mass, in disgrace He had breakfasted at 7:30 on fruit, cereal and one egg, in disgrace. He had gone to his study at 8 o'clock for lessons, in disgrace. A long line of tutors came and went all morning, and he worked diligently, but he was still in disgrace. All morning long and in the intervals between tutors he had tried to catch Miss Braithwaite's eye.

Except for the most ordinary civilities, she had refused to look in his direction. She was correcting an essay in English on Mr. Gladstone, with a blue pencil, and putting in blue commas every here and there. The Crown Prince was amazingly weak in commas. When she was all through, she piled the sheets together and wrote a word on the first page. It might have been "good." On the other hand, it could easily have been "poor." The motions of the hand are similar.

At last, in desperation, the Crown Prince deliberately broke off the point of his pencil, and went to the desk where Miss Braithwaite sat, monarch of the American pencil sharpener, which was the beloved of his heart.

"Again!" said Miss Braithwaite shortly. And raised her eyebrows.

"It's a very soft pencil," explained the Crown Prince. "When I press down on it, it—it busts."

"It what?"

"It busts—breaks." Evidently the English people were not familiar with this new and fascinating American word.

He cast a casual glance toward Mr. Gladstone. The word was certainly "poor." Suddenly a sense of injustice began to rise in him. He had worked rather hard over Mr. Gladstone. He had done so because he knew that Miss Braithwaite considered him the greatest man since Jesus Christ, and even the Christ had not written "The Influence of Authority in Matters of Opinion."

The French tutor was standing near a photograph of Hedwig and pretending not to look at it. Prince Ferdinand William Otto had a suspicion that the tutor was in love with Hedwig. On one occasion, when she had entered unexpectedly, he had certainly given out the sentence, "Ce dragon etait le vieux serpent, la princesse," instead of "Ce dragon etait le vieux serpent, le roi."

Prince Ferdinand William Otto, did not like the French tutor. His being silly about Hedwig was not the reason. Even Nikky had that trouble, and once, when they were all riding together, had said, "Canter on the snaffle, trot on the curb," when he meant exactly the opposite. It was not that. Part of it was because of his legs, which were inclined to knock at the knees. Mostly it was his eyes, which protruded.

His taste of liberty had spoiled the Crown Prince for work. Instead of conjugating a French verb, he made a sketch of the scenic railway. He drew the little car, and two heads looking over the edge, with a sort of porcupine effect of hairs standing straight up.

"Otto!" said Miss Braithwaite sternly.

So he went to work in earnest. He worked at a big desk which had been his father's. As a matter of fact, everything in the room was too big for him. It had not occurred to anyone to make any concessions to his size. He went through life, one may say, with his legs dangling, or standing on tiptoe to see things.

The sun came through the deep embrasures of the window and set Prince Ferdinand William Otto's feet to wriggling. It penetrated the gloomy fastnesses of the old room and showed its dingy furniture, its great desk, its dark velvet portieres and the old cabinet in which the Crown Prince kept his toys on the top shelf. He had arranged them there himself, the ones he was fondest of in the front row, so he could look up and see them; a drum which he still dearly loved, but which made Miss Braithwaite's head ache; a locomotive with a broken spring; a steam engine which Hedwig had given him, but which the King considered dangerous, and which had never, therefore, had its baptism of fire; and a dilapidated and lop-eared cloth dog.

He was exceedingly fond of the dog. For quite a long time he had taken it to bed with him at night, and put its head on his pillow. It was the most comforting thing, when the lights were all out. Until he was 7 he had been allowed a bit of glimmer, a tiny wick floating in a silver dish of lard-oil, for a night light. But after his eighth birthday that had been done away with, Miss Braithwaite considering it babyish.

The Crown Prince Ferdinand William Otto found the sun unsettling. Besides, he hated verbs. Nouns were different. One could do something with nouns, although even they had a way of having genders. Into his head popped a recollection of a delightful pastime of the day before—nothing more nor less than flipping paper wads at the guard on the scenic railway as the car went past him.

Prince Ferdinand William Otto tore off the corner of a piece of paper, chewed it deliberately, rounded and hardened it with his royal fingers, and aimed it at M. Puaux. It struck him in the eye.

Instantly things happened. M. Puaux yelled, and clapped a hand to his eye. Miss Braithwaite rose. His royal highness wrote a rather shaky French verb, with the wrong termination. And on to this scene came Nikky for the riding lesson. Nikky, smiling and tidy, and very shiny as to riding boots and things, and wearing white kid gloves. Everyone about a palace wears white kid gloves, except the royalties themselves. It is extremely expensive.

Nikky surveyed the scene. He had, of course, bowed inside the door, and all that sort of thing. But Nikky was an informal person, and was quite apt to bow deeply before his future sovereign, and then poke him in the chest.

"Well!" said Nikky.

"Good-morning," said Prince Ferdinand William Otto, in a small and nervous voice.

"Nothing wrong, is there?" demanded Nikky.

N. Puaux got out his handkerchief and said nothing violently.

"Otto!" said Miss Braithwaite. "What did you do?"

"Nothing." He looked about. He was quite convinced that M. Puaux was what Bobby would have termed a poor sport, and had not played the game fairly. The guard at the railway, he felt, would not have yelled and wept. "Oh, well, I threw a piece of paper. That's all. I didn't think it would hurt."

Miss Braithwaite rose and glanced at the carpet. But Nikky was quick. Quick and understanding. He put his shiny foot over the paper wad.

"Paper!" said Miss Braithwaite. "Why did you throw paper? And at M. Puaux?"

"I—just felt like throwing something," explained his royal highness. "I guess it's the sun, or something."

Nikky dropped his glove, and miraculously, when he had picked it up the little wad was gone.

"For throwing paper, five marks," said Miss Braithwaite, and put it down in the book she carried in her pocket. It was rather an awful book. On Saturdays the King looked it over, and demanded explanations: "For untidy nails, five marks! A gentleman never has untidy nails, Otto. For objecting to winter flannels, two marks. Humph! For pocketing sugar from the tea tray, 10 marks! Humph! For lack of attention during religious instruction, five marks. Ten off for the sugar, and only five for inattention to religious instruction! What have you to say, sir?"

Prince Ferdinand William Otto looked at Nikky and Nikky looked back. Then Ferdinand William Otto's left eyelid drooped. Nikky was astounded. How was he to know the treasury of strange things that the Crown Prince had tapped the previous afternoon? But, after a glance around the room, Nikky's eyelid drooped also. He slid the paper wad into his pocket.

"I am afraid his royal highness has hurt your eye, M. Puaux," said Miss Braithwaite. Not with sympathy. She hated tutors.

"Not at all," said the unhappy young man, testing the eye to discover if he could see through it. "I am sure his royal highness meant no harm." M. Puaux went out, with his handkerchief to his eye. He turned at the door and bowed, but as no one was paying any attention to him, he made two bows, one to Hedwig's picture.

While Oskar, his valet, put the Crown Prince into riding clothes, Nikky and Miss Braithwaite had a talk. Nikky was the only person to whom Miss Braithwaite really unbent. Once he had written to a friend of his in China, and secured for her a large box of the best Chinese tea. Miss Braithwaite only brewed it when the Archduchess made one of her rare visits to the Crown Prince's apartment.

But just now their talk was very serious. It began by Nikky stating that she was likely to see him a great deal now, and he hoped she would not find him in the way. He had been made aide de camp to the Crown Prince, vice Count Lussin, who had resigned on account of illness, having been roused at daybreak out of a healthy sleep to do it.

Not that Nikky said just that. What he really observed was: "The King sent for me last night, Miss Braithwaite, and—and asked



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me to hang around." Thus Nikky, of his sacred trust! None the less sacred to him, either, that he spoke lightly. He glanced up at the crossed swords, and his eyes were hard.

And Miss Braithwaite knew. She reached over and put a hand on his arm. "You and I," she said. "Out of all the people in this palace, only you and I! The Archduchess hates him. I see it in her eyes. She can never forgive him for keeping the throne from Hedwig. The court? Do they ever think of the boy, except to dread his minority, with Mettlich in control? A long period of mourning, a regency, no balls, no gayety—that is all they think of. And whom can we trust? The very guards down below, the sentries at our doors, how do we know they are loyal?"

"The people love him," said Nikky doggedly.

"The people! Sheep. I do not trust the people. I do not trust anyone. I watch, but what can I do? The very food we eat"——

"He is coming," said Nikky softly. And fell to whistling under his breath.

Together Nikky and Prince Ferdinand William Otto went out and down the great marble staircase. Sentries saluted. Two flunkies in scarlet and gold threw open the doors. A stray dog that had wandered into the courtyard watched them gravely.

"I wish," said Prince Ferdinand William Otto, "that I might have a dog."

"A dog! Why?"

"Well, it would be company. Dogs are very friendly. Yesterday I met a boy who has a dog. It sleeps on his bed at night."

"You have a good many things, you know," Nikky argued. "You've got a dozen horses, for one thing."

"But a dog's different." He felt the difference, but he could not put it into words. "And I'd rather have only one horse. I'd get better acquainted with it."

A small crowd lined up and watched the passing of the little Prince. As he passed, men lifted their hats and women bowed. He smiled right and left, and took two short steps to one of Nikky's long ones.

"I have a great many friends," he said with a sigh of content, as they neared the riding school. "I suppose I don't really need a dog"

"Look here," said Nikky, after a pause. He was not very quick in thinking things out. He placed, as a fact, more reliance on his right arm than on his brain. But once he had thought a thing out, it stuck. "Look here, highness, you didn't treat your friends very well yesterday."

"I know," said Prince Ferdinand William Otto meekly. But Prince Ferdinand William Otto had thought out a defense. "I got back all right, didn't I?" He considered. "It was worth it. A policeman shook me!"

"Which policeman?" demanded Nikky in a terrible tone, and in his fury quite forgot the ragging he had prepared for Otto.

"I think I'll not tell you, if you don't mind. And I bought a fig lady. I've saved the legs for you."

Fortune smiled on Nikky that day. Had, indeed, been smiling daily for some three weeks. Singularly enough, the Princess Hedwig, who had been placed on a pony at the early age of 2, and who had been wont to boast that she could ride any horse in her grandfather's stables, was taking riding lessons. From 12 to 1—which was, also singularly, the time Prince Ferdinand William Otto and Nikky rode in the ring—the Princess Hedwig rode also. Rode divinely. Rode saucily. Rode, when Nikky was ahead, tenderly.

To tell the truth, Prince Ferdinand William Otto rather hoped, this morning, that Hedwig would not be there. There was a difference in Nikky when Hedwig was around. When she was not there he would do all sorts of things, like jumping on his horse while it was going, and riding backward in the saddle, and so on. He had once even tried jumping on his horse as it galloped past him, and missed, and had been awfully ashamed about it. But when Hedwig was there, there was no skylarking. They rode around, and the riding master put up jumps and they took them. And finally Hedwig would get tired, and ask Nikky please to be amusing while she rested. And he would not be amusing at all. The Crown Prince felt that she never really saw Nikky at his best.

Hedwig was there. She had on a new habit, and a gardenia in her buttonhole, and she gave Nikky her hand to kiss, but only nodded to the Crown Prince.

"Hello, Otto!" she said. "I thought you'd have a ball and chain on your leg today."

"There's nothing wrong with my legs," said Prince Ferdinand William Otto, staring at the new habit. "But yours look rather queer."

Hedwig flushed. The truth was that she was wearing, for the first time, a cross-saddle habit of coat and trousers. And coat and trousers were forbidden to the royal women. She eyed Otto with defiance, and turned an appealing glance to Nikky. But her voice was very dignified.

"I bought them myself," she said. "I consider it a perfectly modest costume, and much safer than the other."

So now he entered the boudoir of the Archduchess Annunciata, and the Countess went out another door and closed it behind her, immediately opening it about an inch.



"It is quite lovely—on you, highness," said Nikky.

In a stiff chair at the edge of the ring Hedwig's lady in waiting sat resignedly. She was an elderly woman and did not ride. Just now she was absorbed in wondering what would happen to her when the Archduchess discovered this new freak of Hedwig's. Perhaps she would better ask permission to go into retreat for a time. The Archduchess, who had no religion herself, approved of it in others. She took a soft rubber from her pocket and tried to erase a spot from her white kid gloves.

Nikky looked gloomy. The prospect, although remote, was dreary. But, as the horses were led out, and he helped Hedwig to her saddle, he brightened. After all, the future was the future, and now was now.

"Catch me!" said Hedwig, and dug her royal heels into her horse's flanks. The Crown Prince climbed into his saddle and followed. They were off.

The riding school had been built for officers of the army, but was now used by the court only. Here the King had ridden as a lad with young Mettlich, his close friend even then. The favorite mare of his later years, now old and almost blind, still had a stall in the adjacent royal stables. One of the King's last excursions abroad had been to visit her.

Overhead, up a great runway, were the state chariots, gilt coaches of inconceivable weight, traveling carriages of the post-chaise periods, sleighs in which four horses drove abreast, their panels painted by the great artists of the time; and one plain little vehicle, very shabby, in which the royal children of long ago had fled from a Karnian invasion.

In one corner, black and gold and forbidding, was the imposing hearse in which the dead sovereigns of the country were taken to their long sleep in the vaults under the cathedral. Good, bad and indifferent, one after the other, as their hour came, they had taken this last journey in the old catafalque, and had joined their forbears. Many they had been—men of iron, men of blood, men of flesh, men of water. And now they lay in stone crypts, and of all the line only two remained.

One and all, the royal vehicles were shrouded in sheets, except on one day of each month when the sheets were removed and the public admitted. But on that morning the great hearse was uncovered, and two men were working, one at the upholstery, which he was brushing. The other was carefully oiling the wood of the body. Save for them, the wide and dusky loft was empty.

One was a boy, newly come from the country. The other was an elderly man. It was he who oiled.

"Many a King has this carried," said the man "My father, who was here before me, oiled it for the last one."

"May it be long before it carries another!" commented the boy fervently.

"It will not be long. The old King fails hourly. And this happening of yesterday"

"What happened yesterday?" queried the boy.

"It was a matter of the Crown Prince."

"Was he ill?"

"He ran away," said the man shortly.

"Ran away?" The boy stopped his dusting and stared, open-mouthed.

"Aye, ran away. Grew weary of back-bending, perhaps. I do not know. I do not believe in Kings."

"Not believe in Kings?" The boy stopped his dusting.

"You do, of course," sneered the man. "Because a thing is, it is right. But I think. I use my brains. I reason. And I do not believe in Kings."

Up the runway came sounds from the ring, the thudding of hoofs, followed by a child's shrill, joyous laughter. The man scowled.

"Listen!" he said. "We labor and they play."

"It has always been so. I do not begrudge happiness."

But the man was not listening.

"I do not believe in Kings," he said sullenly.

CHAPTER VI.

THE CHANCELLOR PAYS A VISIT.

THE Archduchess was having tea. Her boudoir was a crowded little room. Nikky had once observed confidentially to Miss Braithwaite that it was exactly like her, all hung and furnished with things that were not needed. The Archduchess liked it because it was warm. The palace rooms were mostly large and chilly. She had a fire there on the warmest days in spring, and liked to put the coals on, herself. She wrapped them in pieces of paper so she would not soil her hands.

This afternoon she was not alone. Lounging at a window was the lady who was in waiting at the time, the Countess Loschek. Just now she was getting rather a wigging, but she was remarkably calm.

"The last three times," the Archduchess said, stirring her tea, "you have had a sore throat."

"It is such a dull book," explained the Countess.

"Not at all. It is an improving book. If you would put your mind on it when you are reading, Olga, you would enjoy it. And you would learn something, besides. In my opinion," went on the Archduchess, tasting her tea, "you smoke too many cigarettes."

The Countess yawned, but silently, at her window. Then she consulted a thermometer. "Eighty!" she said briefly, and, coming over, sat down by the tea-table.

The Countess Loschek was 30, and very handsome, in an insolent way. She was supposed to be the best-dressed woman at the court, and to rule Annunciata with an iron hand, although it was known that they quarreled a great deal over small things, especially over the coal fire.

Some said that the real thing that held them together was resentment that the little Crown Prince stood between the Princess Hedwig and the throne. Annunciata was not young, but she was younger than her dead brother, Hubert. And others said it was because the Countess gathered up and brought in the news of the court—the small intrigues and the scandals that constitute life in the restricted walls of a palace. There is a great deal of gossip in a palace where the King is old and everything rather stupid and dull.

The Countess yawned again.

"Where is Hedwig?" demanded the Archduchess.

"Her royal highness is in the nursery, probably."

"Why probably?"

"She goes there a great deal."

The Archduchess eyed her. "Well, out with it," she said. "There is something seething in that wicked brain of yours."

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"Settin' Up" With an Ozarker's "Gal"

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Sunday school came a-bilin' out one Sunday when it heerd his voice above all the others when they was havin' a rucas over a dawg fight.

"I could jist see what might happen to Tommie when he went a-bustin' over there to take a turn with Barney a-settin' up with Barney's girl. But blame me if I wasn't jist that disgusted with him, I didn't say another word. I jist pinted out the way to old man Stiver's and let him go.

"I kinder laid awake, though, a-listenin', and along about midnight I heered a slow, tired kind of a step at the well and a sound like somebody was a-fumblin' with the pump. I lit the lantern that I always keep a-hangin' over the head of the bed by my shotgun and went out to see. And blame me if he didn't need somebody to see—his own eyes a-seemin' like they didn't aim to do none of it theirselves fer a right smart spell. Barney had shore done a worse job than I 'lowed he would do.

"'The ungrateful wretch,' spluttered Tommie. 'The ungrateful wretch,' he said agin. 'Look what he done to me when I offered to set up with her in his place tonight. Do you call that gratitude? Do you call it common politeness? Do you call it good manners? Do you call it—— Do you call it'——

"I 'lowed I wasn't goin' to call it nothin' he could think of, but said I'd set up with him the balance of the night, seein' that settin' up seemed to be all the style these days, and try to git the swellin' out of his nos fer him.

"'Blame me,' he says, 'blame me, Cousin Emroe. Blame me if I believe they's a consarned thing wrong with that there girl. She didn't look to me as if she needed any settin' up with. It's all tomfollery fer that feller to be a-spending' his time that-a way,' he says, 'and I don't aim to stay round here no longer, where they is sich a small display of good sense and good manners,' he says.

"So, the next mornin' I tuck him to the railroad and we ain't seen him sense, but the whole thing goes to show you why I ain't in favor of city people a-havin' a hand in the gov'ment. They jist ain't compertent. Shore ain't.

"But I ain't the narrer-minded kind that judges other people by jist one person, and if you and La Belle ain't been invited to dinner anywheres, me and the old woman would be plumb glad to have you eat with us today. You ain't to blame, maybe, fur bein' frum the city. Leastways, I ain't a-goin' to hold it agin you when it comes to eatin' together and bein' sociable. But as to votin'—well, that is another question. Shore is."

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to the Pittsburg Coal Co., and Kenney was promoted to the place from which he retired. That was in 1911. After a year he was made vice president in charge of traffic, which place he held until his promotion to the presidency.

Long after he could illy afford the time required to travel to and from the general offices of the Great Northern in St. Paul, Kenney clung to his residence in Minneapolis, where he had grown up from boyhood and had married. When he was appointed general traffic manager, however, his duties became so heavy that he was compelled to remove to St. Paul. The drain of nearly two hours of travel daily was too much for a man who spent 10 hours each day in his office and several hours outside of it at his labors.

Louis W. Hill is giving up the presidency of the Great Northern and the executive direction of its 8000 miles of line for the second time. First he turned it over to Carl R. Gray, who formerly was vice president of the Frisco Railroad, in St. Louis. When Gray left the road about four years ago Hill again took up the duties of the presidency and carried them, in connection with those of chairman of the board, until Kenney's appointment.

The presidency came to Kenney almost as a birthday gift. He was 48 years old in the middle of January and his new appointment was announced in the early part of February.

The exact mileage of the lines over which Kenney will preside, according to statistical records of 1917, is 8197.82. Of more than 175 railways in the United States the mileage of the Great Northern lines is exceeded by only three. These are—Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 10,207.94 miles; Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, 9373.65 miles, and Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, 8648.21 miles. The Great Northern's rival, the Northern Pacific, has but 6688.66 miles of lines. The Southern Pacific has 7065.14 miles.

The Construction of America's New Unsinkable Ship

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2,064,679 tons. Complete returns from France, Italy, Japan and other nations were not available, but the British authorities did not believe that their combined output would equal that of the United States. In that case submarine sinkings more than doubled all tonnage produced.

It has been variously estimated that the amount of tonnage produced in the United States in 1918 would be from 2,500,000 tons to 4,000,000 tons. Shipping Board members have declared that at least 3,500,000 tons would be completed. No estimate of Great Britain's output has been received, but that country is expected to materially increase its 1917 figures. Japan's operations just now are hampered by a lack of steel, but this handicap is expected to be overcome shortly. That country also is expected to increase its output this year, but other countries are building few ships.

The Recovery of the $250,000 Munro Diamonds

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leave the train at any moment. We dared take no sleep, and arrived in New York very nearly exhausted.

It was late at night when we finally found ourselves in a dilapidated house in the ghetto. But we felt thankful to him, for he had located where we could also secure rooms surrounding him.

We were forced to change the shadows in order to obtain operatives familiar with the language spoken in this district, and we also thought it best to don old clothes and disregard the laws of cleanliness for the time being. One of the rooms secured by us had a communicating door with that of the waiter. As our room was always in darkness, he never once suspected our presence.

The man was in the habit of going out to telephone frequently, but, as he never used the same telephone twice, and we never could hear one word of his conversation or any number he called, we could set no trap for him.

At the end of the first week two men called at his room, and we soon decided from the conversation we overheard, that these men were engaged in dealing in stolen jewelry. They seemed to be dickering on paper, for there appeared to be not a jewel in the room. When the list had been gone over for the hundredth time, the final offer for the entire lost was $2500, to which the thief naturally objected, for it appeared that in the letter he had burned they had assured him a fair treatment.

At this point we burst into the room, though not without misgivings. We knew we were dealing with desperate men, but it was then or never, we felt.

We broke open the door, covered three men with our guns and backed them against the wall.

We accused our man of the theft, which he strenuously denied. We stripped all three of them of their clothing, finding nothing concealed about them. It was only after a search of several hours—our prisoners huddled together in the closet, with an armed guard over them—that we found the jewels beneath the floor in a small black satchel. Everything was there except the small diamond pawned in New Orleans. The waiter had taken up the carpet and removed a board in the floor, placing the jewels in what he believed to be an absolutely secure place.

As we wished to avoid publicity on account of our client, we were obliged to let the thief go, but before we did so we forced him to tell the story of the theft.

The waiter had previously been sentenced to a penitentiary as a thief, and after his release had become a waiter in this night restaurant. When the jewels of Mme. Munro were displayed that night in the restaurant, the waiter was amazed at their magnificence, and the old instinct of the thief took possession of him. He was relieved of duty shortly after midnight and shadowed the women to their hotel.

He hurried in ahead of them, and when they asked for their keys at the desk he noted the number of the room. The next day he dressed in his best clothes—a fellow of no mean appearance—and returning to the hotel was able to secure a room next to Mme. Munro.

In this hotel all the rooms were provided with Yale locks. This troubled the thief at first, but one day he saw the ladies leave for the Cliff House, and determined that this was the time to get to work. He watched the ladies drive away and sauntered over to the elevator to return to his room, when, to his surprise, he noticed a large key ring hanging in the elevator and attached to it the pass keys to every room on his floor. He handed the bellboy a liberal tip, saying: "I've mislaid my key, open my door with the pass key."

The boy agreed. While they were on the way to the room the elevator bell rang. The waiter grabbed the bunch of keys and handed the boy a $2 bill. "There's a call for you. Answer it and hurry back."

The boy forgot himself and left the pass keys in the possession of the thief, who quickly took the impression of the key he wanted. Thirty minutes later, through the aid of a locksmith, he had secured a duplicate key.

In the quiet of the afternoon he entered Mme. Munro's room and located the jewel box. He packed his belongings, paid his bill and left the hotel, having left not a trace behind him. The episode of the pass key entirely slipped the mind of the elevator boy until he was shown the confession.

Mme. Munro recovered all her jewels.

Rheumatism

A Home Cure Given by One Who Had It

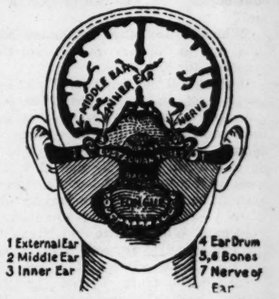
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Long Live the King!

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The Countess shrugged her shoulders. Not that she resented having a wicked brain. She rather fancied the idea. "She and young Lieut. Larisch have tea frequently with his royal highness."

"How frequently?"

"Three times this last week, madame."

"Little fool!" said Annunciata. But she frowned, and sat tapping her teacup with her spoon. She was just a trifle afraid of Hedwig, and she was more anxious than she would have cared to acknowledge. "It is being talked about, of course?"

The Countess shrugged her shoulders.

"Don't do that!" commanded the Archduchess sharply. "How far do you think the thing has gone?"

"He is quite mad about her."

"And Hedwig—but she is silly enough for anything. Do they meet anywhere else?"

"At the riding school, I believe. At least, I"——

Here a maid entered and stood waiting at the end of the screen. The Archduchess Annunciata would have none of the palace flunkies about her when she could help it. She had had enough of men, she maintained, in the person of her late husband, whom she had detested. So except at dinner she was attended by tidy little maids, in gray Quaker costumes, who could carry tea trays into her crowded boudoir without breaking things.

"His excellency, Gen. Mettlich," said the maid.

The Archduchess nodded her august head, and the maid retired. "Go away, Olga," said the Archduchess. And you might," she suggested grimly, "gargle your throat."

The Chancellor had passed a troubled night. Being old, like the King, he required little sleep. And for most of the time between 1 o'clock and his rising hour of 5 he had lain in his narrow camp bed and thought. He had not confided all his worries to the King.

Evidences of renewed activity on the part of the Terrorists were many. In the past month two of his best secret agents had disappeared. One had been found the day before, stabbed in the back. The Chancellor had seen the body—an unpleasant sight. But it was not of the dead man that Gen. Mettlich thought. It was of the other. The dead tell nothing. But the living, under torture, tell many things. And this man, Haeckel, young as he was, knew much that was vital. Knew the working of the secret service, the names of the outer circle of 12, knew the codes and passwords, knew, too, the ways of the palace, the hidden rooms always ready for emergency, even the passage that led by devious ways, underground, to a distant part of the great park.

At 5 Gen. Mettlich had risen, exercised before an open window with an old pair of iron dumbbells, had followed this with a cold bath and hot coffee, and had gone to early mass at the Cathedral. And there, on his knees, he had prayed for a little help. He was, he said, getting old and infirm, and he had been too apt all his life to rely on his own right arm. But things were getting rather difficult. He prayed to Our Lady for intercession for the little Prince. He felt, in his old heart, that the Mother would understand the situation, and how he felt about it. And he asked in a general supplication, and very humbly, for a few years more of life. Not that life meant anything to him personally. He had outlived most of those he loved. But that he might serve the King, and after him the boy who would be Otto IX. He added, for fear they might not understand, having a great deal to look after, that he had earned all this by many years of loyalty, and besides, that he knew the situation better than anyone else.

He felt much better after that. Especially as at the moment he rose from his knees, the cathedral clock had chimed and then struck 7. He had found seven a very lucky number. So now he entered the boudoir of the Archduchess Annunciata, and the Countess went out at another door, and closed it behind her, immediately opening it about an inch.

The Chancellor strode around the screen, scratching two tables with his sword as he advanced, and kissed the hand of the Princess Annunciata. They were old enemies and therefore always very polite to each other. The Archduchess offered him a cup of tea, which he took, although she always made very bad tea. And for a few moments they discussed things. Thus: The King's condition; the replanting of the place with trees; and the date of bringing out the Princess Hilda, who was still in the schoolroom.

But the Archduchess suddenly came to business. She was an abrupt person. "And now, General," she said, "what is it?"

"I am in trouble, highness," replied the Chancellor simply.

"We are most of us in that condition at all times. I suppose you mean this absurd affair of yesterday. Why such a turmoil about it? The boy ran away. When he was ready he returned. It was absurd, and I dare say you and I both are being held for our sins. But he is here now, and safe."

"I am afraid he is not as safe as you think, madame."

"Why?"

He sat forward on the edge of his chair, and told her of the students at the university, who were being fired by some powerful voice; of the disappearance of two spies; of the evidence that the Committee of Ten was meeting again, and the failure to discover their meeting place; of disaffection among the people, according to the reports of his agents. And then to the real purpose of his visit. Karl of Karnia had, unofficially, proposed for the Princess Hedwig. He had himself broached the matter to the King, who had at least taken it under advisement. The Archduchess listened, rather pale. There was no mistaking the urgency in the Chancellor's voice.

"Madame, after centuries of independence we now face a crisis which we cannot meet alone. Believe me, I know of what I speak. United, we could stand against the world. But a divided kingdom, a disloyal and discontented people, spells the end."

And at last he convinced her. But, because she was built of a contrary mold, she voiced an objection, not to the scheme, but to Karl himself. "I dislike him. He is arrogant and stupid."

"But powerful, madame. And—what else is there to do?"

There was nothing else, and she knew it. But she refused to broach the matter to Hedwig.

She stated, and perhaps not without reason, that such a move was to damn the whole thing at once. She did not use exactly these words, but their royal equivalent. And it ended with the Chancellor, looking most ferocious but inwardly uneasy, undertaking to put, as one may say, a flea into the Princess Hedwig's small ear.

As he strode out, the door into the next room closed quietly.

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man. But it was a most ridiculous position. I tried to see it from that side and be amused, but I wasn't amused. While he went and telephoned to his superiors for instructions he put a soldier to guard me, and, of course, the people waiting on the platform for trains crowded to look. They decided that I was no doubt a spy, and certainly and manifestly one of the swinish English, they said. I wished then I couldn't understand German. I stood there doing my best to think it was all very funny, but I was too tired to succeed, and hadn't had any breakfast, and they were too rude. Then I tried to think it was just a silly dream, and that I had really got to Glion, and would wake up in a minute in a cool bedroom with the light coming through green shutters, and there'd be the lake, and the mountains opposite with snow on them, and you, my blessed, blessed little mother, calling me to breakfast. But it was too hot and distinct and horribly consistent to be a dream. And my clothes were getting wetter and wetter with the heat, and sticking to me.

I want to get to you. That's all I think of now. There isn't a train till tonight, and then only as far as Stuttgart. I expect this letter will get to you long before I do, because I may be kept at Stuttgart.

Another officer, higher up than the first one, let me go. He was more decent. He came and questioned me and said that as he couldn't prove I wasn't American he preferred to risk believing that I was, rather than inconvenience a lady belonging to a friendly nation, or something like that. I don't know what he said really, for by that time I was stupid because of the sun beating down so. But he let me go, and I came here to the restaurant to get something to drink. He came after me, to see that I was not further inconvenienced, he said, so I thought I'd tell him I was going to marry one of his fellow officers. He changed completely then, when I told him Bernd's name and regiment, and was really polite and really saw that I wasn't further inconvenienced. Dear Bernd! Even just his name saves me.

I went to sleep on the bench in the waiting room after I had drunk a great deal of iced milk. My fiddle case was the pillow. Poor fiddle. It seems such a useless, futile thing now.

It was so nice lying down flat, and not having to do anything. The waiter says there's a place I can wash in, and I suppose I'd better go and wash after I've posted this, but I don't want to particularly. I don't want to do anything, particularly, except shut my eyes and wait till I get to you. But I think I'll go out into the sun and warm myself up again, for it's cold in here. Dear mother, I'm a great deal nearer to you than I've been for weeks. Won't you borrow a map and see where Wurzburg is? YOUR CHRIS.

THE END.

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Romance of Leeds "Tin Plate" Millions

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With this wealth, Mrs. Leeds became one of the world's most famous partis. After a period of mourning she went to London and entered at once into the highest social circles. She leased the house of George Keppel in Grosvenor Square, and there, guided by Lady Paget, a former New York woman, and Lady Sarah Wilson, an aunt of the Duke of Marlborough, she entertained all the notables in English social life and was entertained in return. She was a guest at the homes of the Duchess of Marlborough, the Earl of Winterton, the Earl of Kintore, Lady Lister-Kaye and Ambassador and Mrs. Reid.

Titled suitors fluttered about her, among them Prince Joachim Murat, the Prince de Faucgny-Lucinge, Lord Falconer, heir to the Earl of Kintore; Lord Alexander Thynne, uncle of the Marquis of Bath, and Sir Abe Bailey, the South African millionaire. Even the late Earl Kitchener is said to have been a candidate. But one by one she dismissed them. The most persistent was Prince Joachim, who was about 20 years younger than she. But finally he, too, became convinced that his suit was hopeless. Mrs. Leeds was quoted by friends at the time as saying she was unwilling to wed a foreigner on account of her son, William B. Leeds Jr., whom she wished to rear as an American. Then persistent reports were circulated of her engagement to "Jimmie" Cutting, a popular young New York clubman, nephew of Mrs. L. Townsend Burden. But the rumors proved groundless.

Recent dispatches from London stated that Prince Christopher of London was on the way to that city for the purpose of wedding a wealthy American widow. Rumor identified Mrs. Leeds as the bride-to-be, but she issued a denial through the press. Then came the positive announcement that the wedding had taken place in Switzerland, where former King Constantine and his relatives have lived since he was driven from the throne of Greece.

No information is at hand concerning the status the former Mrs. Leeds will obtain through her marriage; but the opinion of most is that it can be no other than a morganatic union. Such a marriage is legal; but the wife does not assume her husband's title and rank.

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WITH THE KNITTERS

Character Sketches — by — W. E. HILL



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Mr. Skeer, whose three daughters are all Red Cross workers, and whose socks are not being darned these days, has hit upon the novel plan of putting every third pair of knitted socks in his bureau drawer.



Mrs. Jay thinks it would be a splendid idea for Herman, the chauffeur, to knit while he is waiting outside of places. Herman is not quite so enthusiastic.



Mabel, who hates knitting, and who is always hearing convenient rumors about how the Red Cross has issued a bulletin asking the local workers not to send in any more stuff.



Miss Tupper, who spends so much time watching to see if her neighbors are knitting according to Hoyle that she never gets very far along with her muffler.



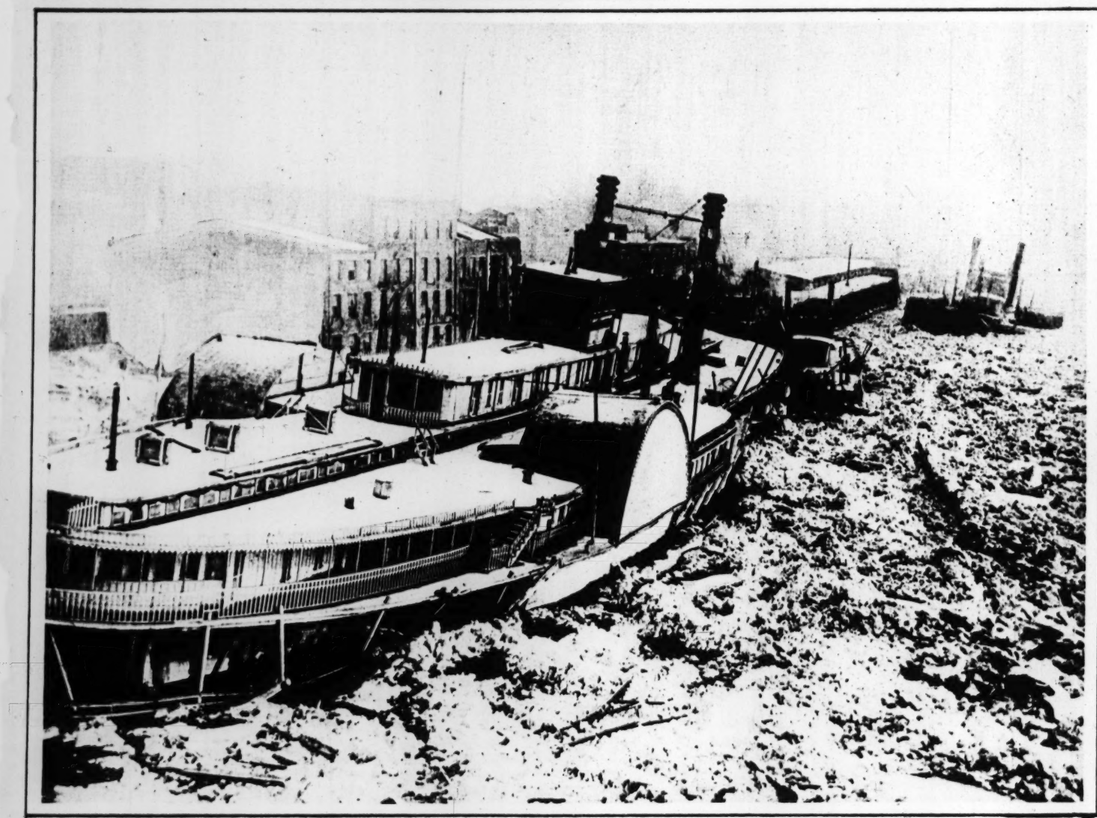
At the theater—Lady knitter with very sharp elbows sitting next to Otto Hochzeit, the super-pacifist.

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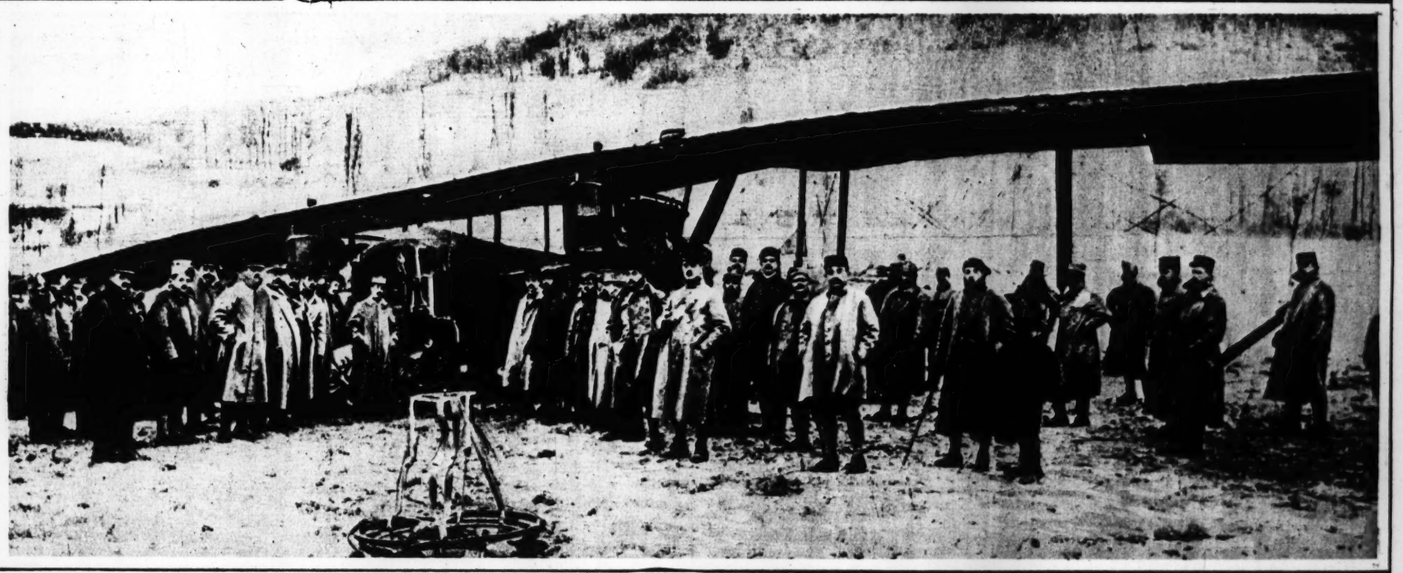
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Wrecked passenger and freight steamer at Cincinnati. Here the ice can be seen tearing away the superstructure. The river later rose to such a height that the boat was completely covered...



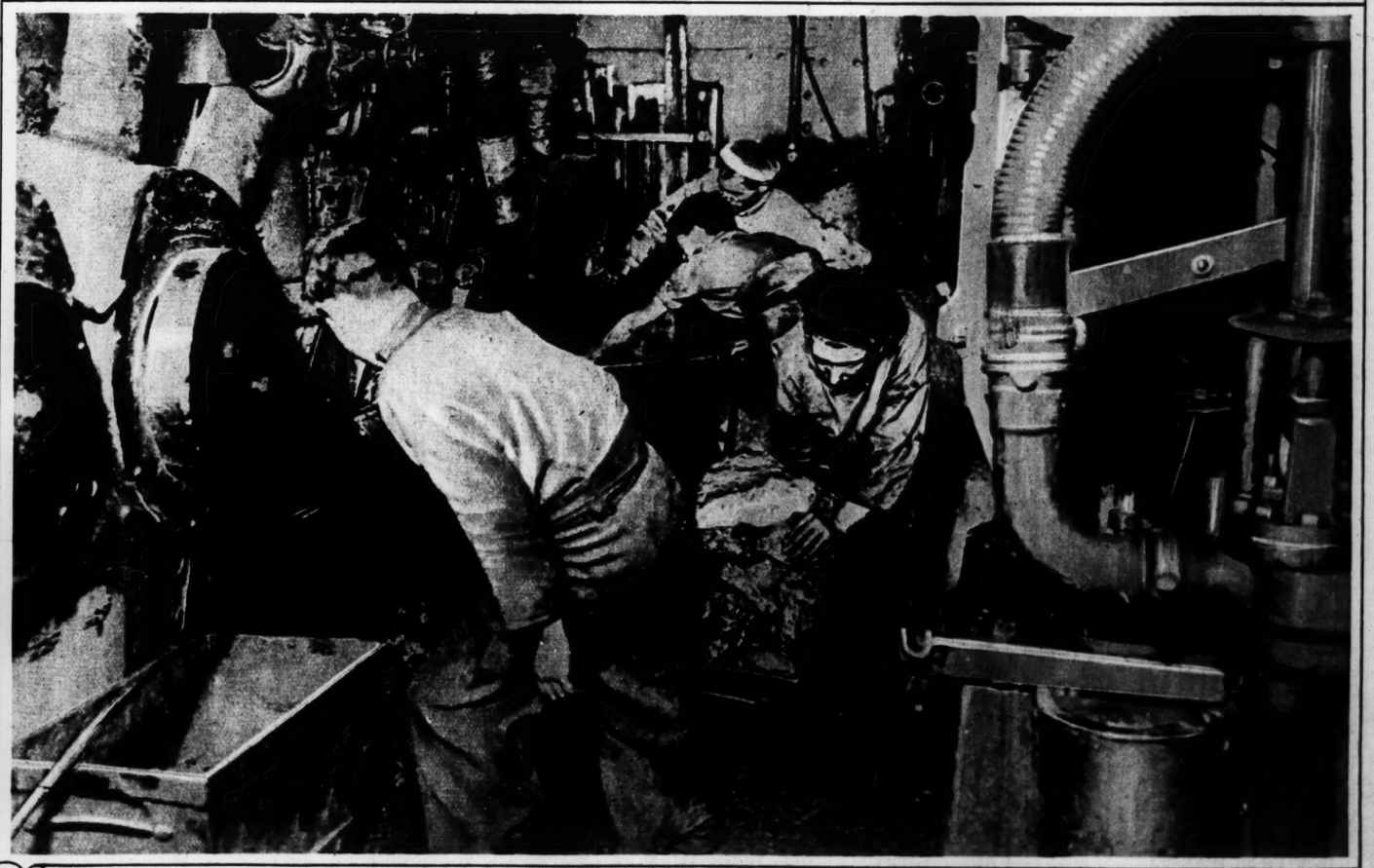
Dirigible flying over sunken ship, off the French coast, looking for a trace of the submarine that did the trick.. ✦ ©UBU.



Giant German Gotha brought down by the French near Soissons. It is 75 feet long and had a motor of twelve cylinders. ✦ ©UBU.



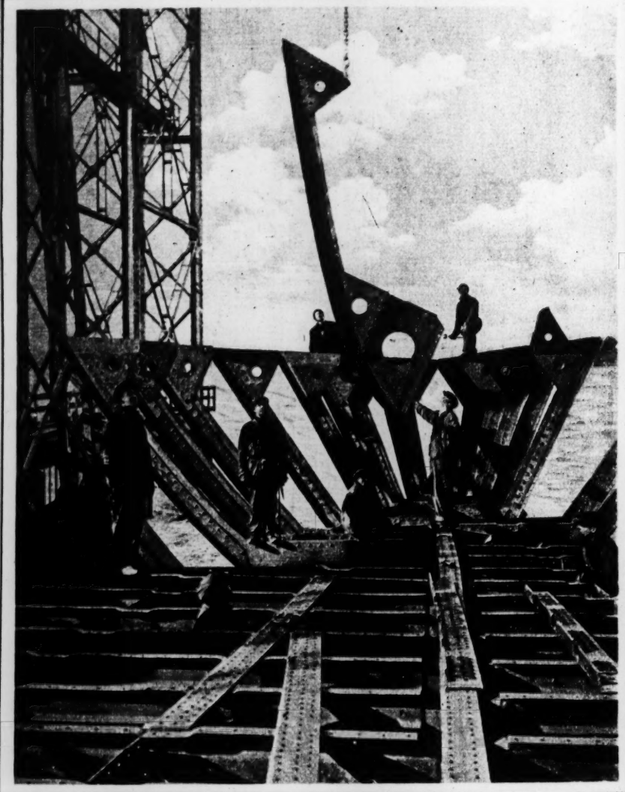
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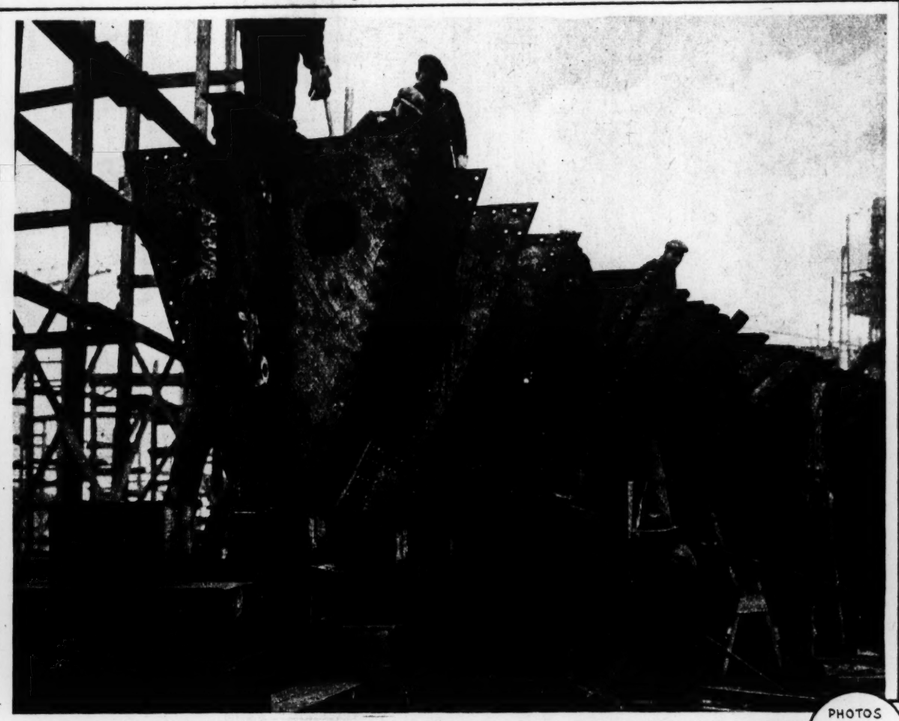
Down in the boiler room of a big ship where the temperature is hotter than you have ever experienced, probably. ✦ ©UBU.

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How the Idea is Taking Form in a Hundred American Yards.



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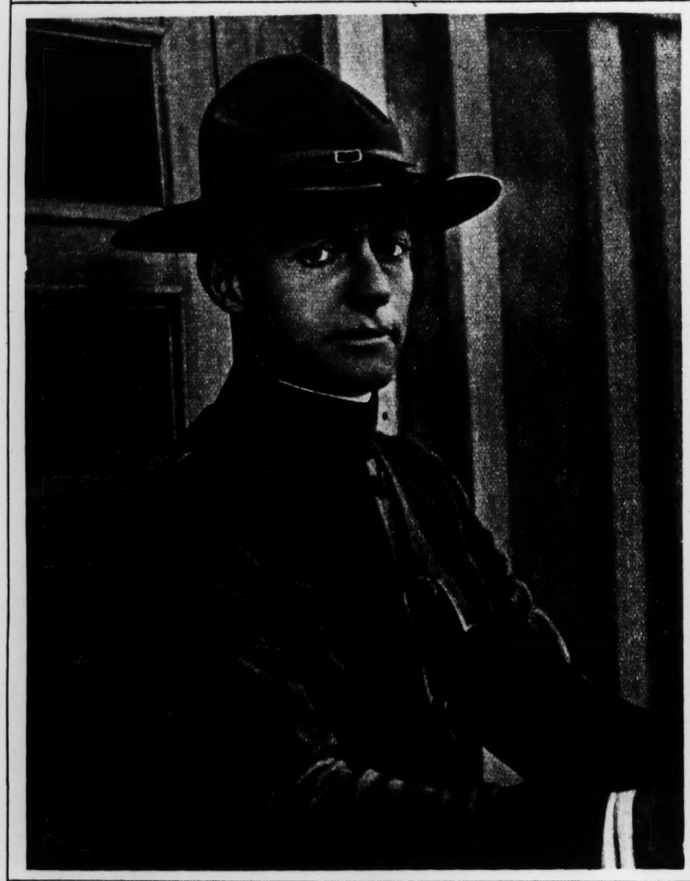


Attaching the plates to the bow of a merchant ship.

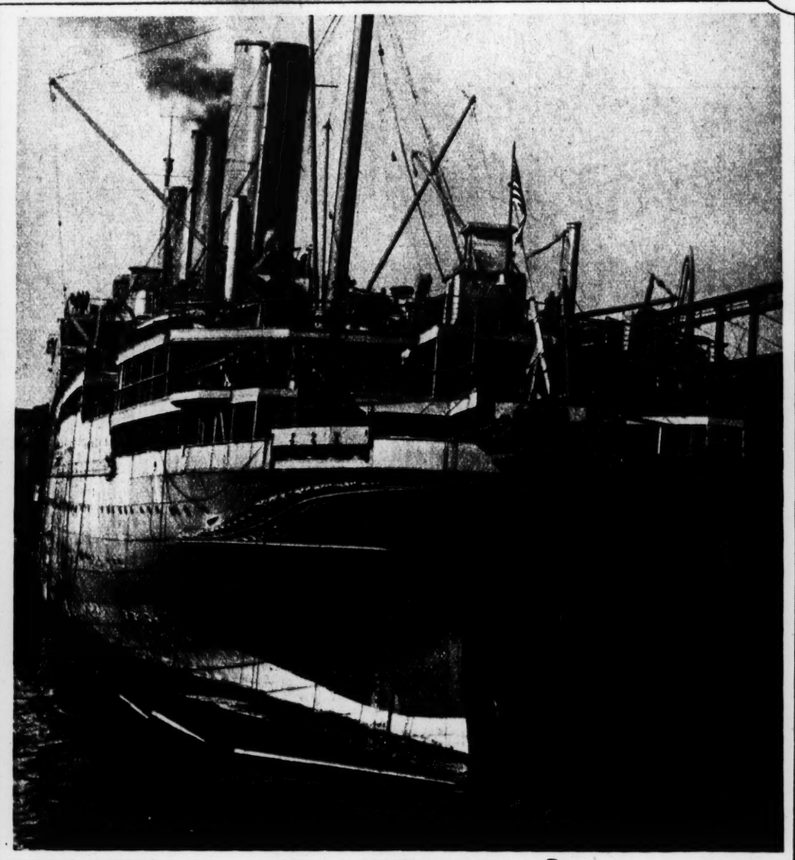
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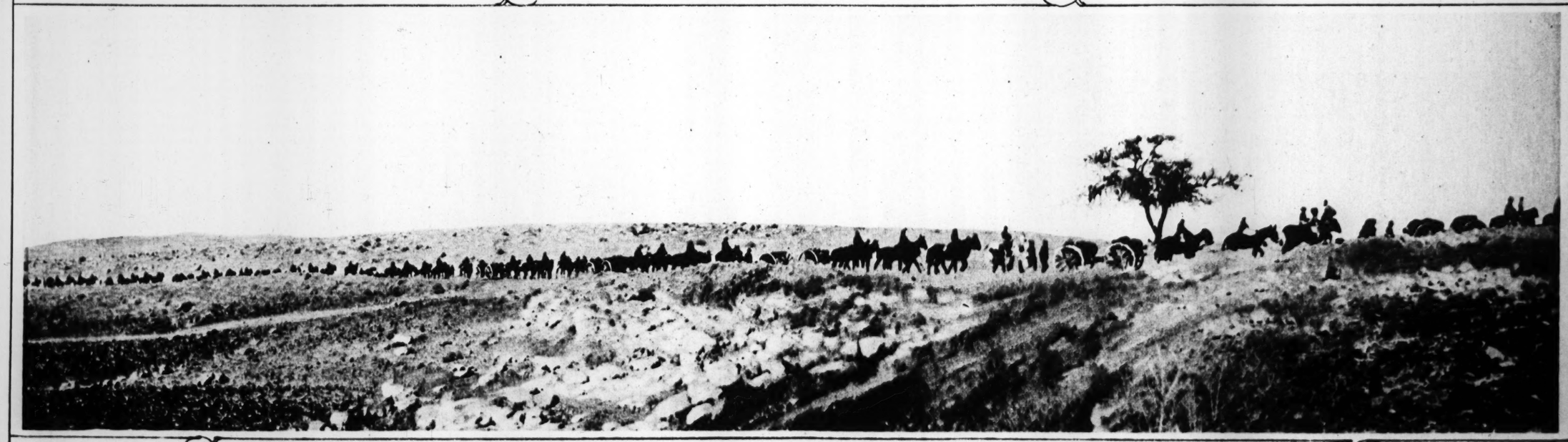


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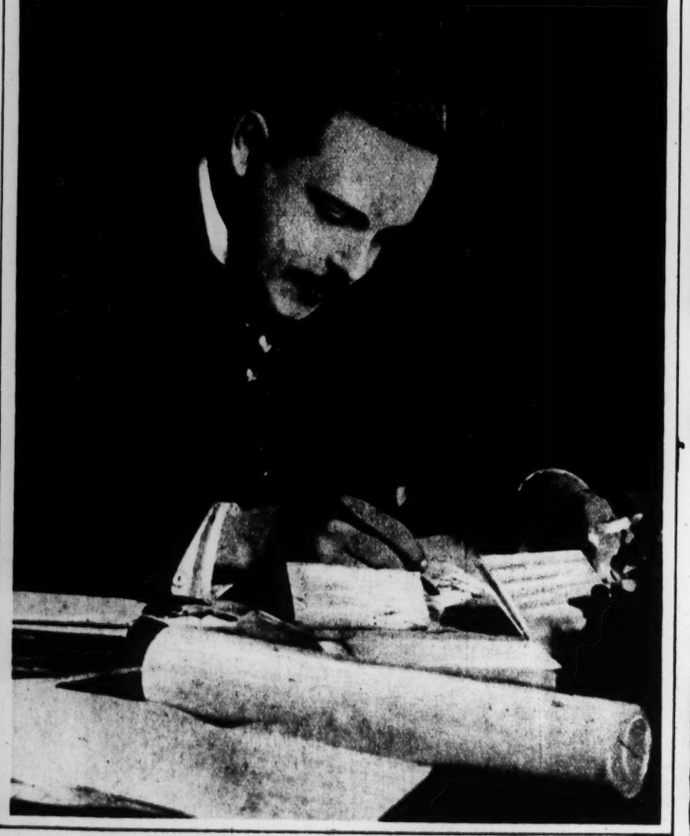
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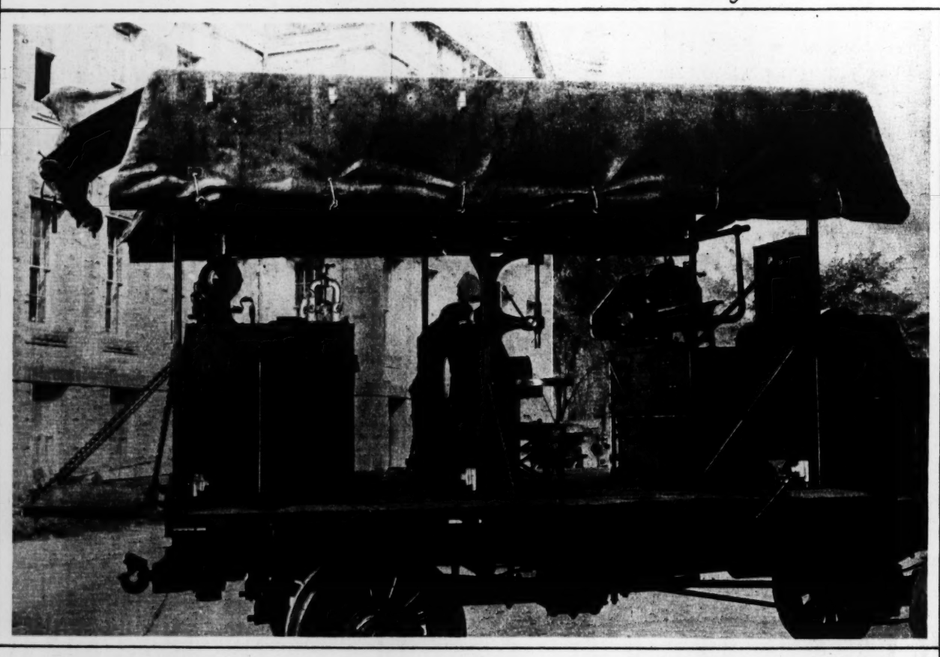
Princess Tandu, blue ribbon winner in the New York cat show.



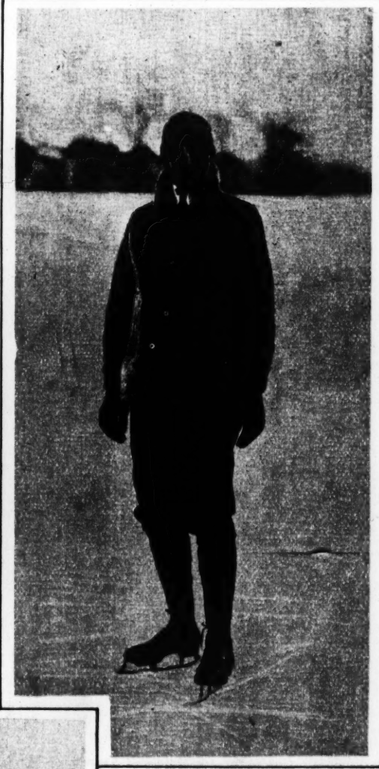
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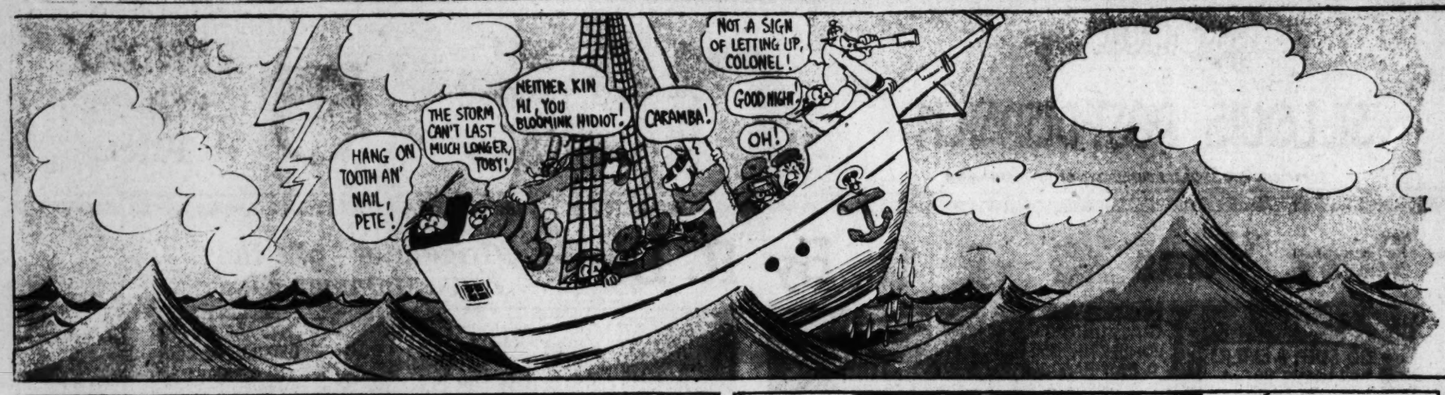
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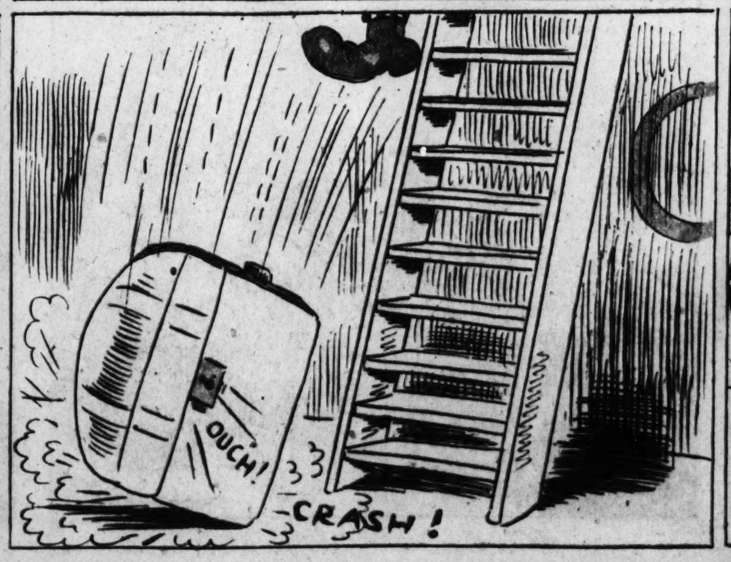














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